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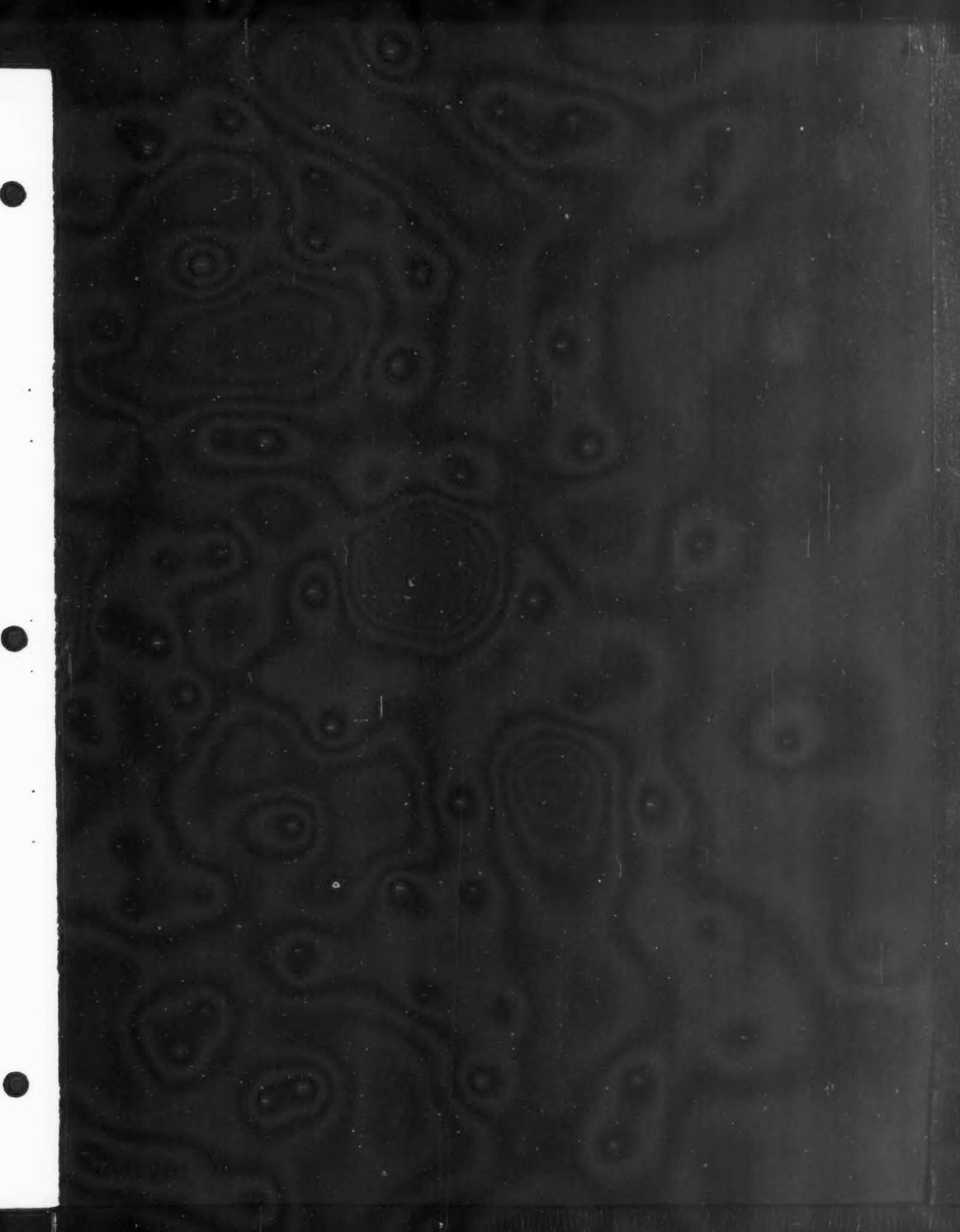


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## NOTES OF THE SOCIETY

On June the 9th we enjoyed our annual picnic meeting at the home of our gracious hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. DeBoos of Dearborn. In spite of inclement weather there was a large attendance, with guests from as far away as Connecticut, Arkansas and Indiana. During the brief business meeting the President presented every one with a "diploma" which proved to be a copy of the earliest printed map of Detroit. This facsimile was made from the engraved original in Bellin's Petit Atlas Maritime, Paris, 1764, in the Clements Library of the University of Michigan. This was based on two manuscript maps made by the French engineer Gaspard Chaussegros de Lery; the map proper, "La Riviere du Detroit" having been drawn in 1752, and the inset "Plan du Fort du Detroit" in 1749. This copy, which we all much appreciate, was made possible through the interest of Mr. Robinson, Mr. Adams of the Clements Library, and Mrs. Stones of the Burton Historical Collection of the Detroit Public Library.

At the same meeting Mr. Lot Augustus Merrill presented two books to the Society; one, "The American Ancestors of George W. Merrill of Saginaw, Michigan" by his son William Merrill, 1903, and "The Genesis of Mifflin County, Pennsylvania" by John Martin Stroup and Raymond Martin Bell, 1939.

Mrs. Chester K. Smith (Cora Elizabeth Hahn), Genealogist, of Evanston, Illinois, has presented to the Detroit Society for Genealogical Research a copy of her book, "Certain Early Ancestors", containing genealogies of the Butterfield, Parker, Hohn (Hahn), Johnson and Heath families, some members of which were resident in Michigan, compiled by Mrs. Smith in 1943, printed by Edwards Brothers, Inc., Ann Arbor, 1944. Our thanks to Mrs. Smith for her generous gift.

Mr. Francis Waring Robinson has presented to the Burton Historical Collection a family history which he highly recommends for its literary charm, sound historical sense, and great love of family, at all times tempered by genial humor: "A Roberts Family quondam Quakers of Queen's County (Ireland) together with some side-line sketches of the families of Grubb, Jemmat, Knaggs and others" by Ethel Jane Adair Roberts Impey of Birmingham, England, printed for the author by Butler & Tanner, Frome and London, 1939. This is a companion volume to one just purchased by Burton Historical Collection: "Memoirs of My Family together with some researches into the early history of the Morris families of Tipperary, Galway and Mayo" by Elsie Naomi Roberts Chapman, printed in 1928. Mrs. Chapman, sister of Mrs. Impey, died in 1928.

Mr. George L. Austin has contributed a typed copy of three letters written in 1935 by Mr. Merritt D. Metz of Hammond, Indiana, and published in the Amherst Bee of Williamsville, New York. They tell of a trip made by Mr. Metz into Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, in search of his Metz ancestors. Much interesting information and many names make the letters valuable.

Mrs. Hoyt E. Whelan of Tecumseh, Michigan, has contributed to the Society some thirty typed pages of Billington family material which she has collected in her search for the ancestry of Nelson G. Billington of New York, Michigan and Indiana. (See page 28 of this issue) This material consists of a copy she made of a Billington manuscript in the "Algernon Aiken Aspinwall Collection" of the New England Historic Genealogical Society; a copy, from the file cards of the General Society of Mayflower Descendants, of all descendants of sons of Francis 2 Billington and many of his daughters' descendants; together with notes from census reports, court records and letters.

We note with regret the death on June 10 of Mr. Charles W. Burton, brother of Miss M. Agnes Burton of this Society, and son of Clarence Monroe Burton who gave to the city of Detroit his great collection of Americana, the internationally known Burton Historical Collection of the Detroit Public Library.

Miss Sarah Kimball Boutwell, a member of the society until ill health caused her to resign, died at the King's Sons and Daughters Home in Detroit on May 15, 1945. Miss Boutwell was born June 3, 1867 in Boston, Massachusetts, the daughter of William Thurston and Eliza Jane (Comings) Boutwell. She was graduated from Mt. Holyoke Seminary in 1890. She received training as a nurse in Providence Hospital, Providence, Rhode Island, and for a number of years had charge of nurses at Elliott Hospital. In September, 1915, she became assistant Dean of Women and Librarian at Heidelberg College in Ohio. In 1927 she retired because of ill health and came to Detroit to be near two of her brothers. Her burial was in Cambridge, Massachusetts, in the family lot of Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Hawthorne in Mt. Auburn Cemetery. Longfellow, Lowell and Holmes are buried in the immediate vicinity of the Hawthorne lot. Miss Boutwell was a member of the Dolly Todd Madison Chapter, D. A. R. of Tiffin, Ohio; Mt. Holyoke Alumnae Association of Detroit; Ohio State Library Association; Lake Placid Club; Massachusetts Society of Mayflower Descendants and a Fellow of the American Genealogical Society. Through her mother she traced her ancestry to the Mayflower pilgrims, Bradford and Brewster. The Boutwells were an old French Huguenot family who settled very early in New Hampshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence L. Beavis held open house for their host of friends on the evening of September 8th, to celebrate their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Elaine H. Stones, chief of staff of the Burton Historical Collection, was one of a class of thirteen admitted to an intensive training course, from June 11 to 30, in Washington, D. C., given by the American University in co-operation with the National Archives of the United States and the Maryland Hall of Records at Annapolis, on "The Preservation and Administration of Archives".

Miss Marjorie Mabel Sperry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl B. Sperry and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cone E. Sperry of Ann Arbor, Michigan, was married by Chaplain Kerstetter at the Yuma Air Base Chapel, Yuma, Arizona on July 21, to Flight Officer Julian M. Hobden, USAF, son of Mrs. Ethel Hobden of Grand Rapids, Michigan. Mrs. Hobden is a graduate of the Michigan State Normal College at Ypsilanti and Flight Officer Hobden is a graduate of the University of Michigan. He entered service in December, 1943, and received his wings at Selman Field, Monroe, Louisiana, in April, 1945. (For Mrs. Hobden's ancestry see "Some Descendants of Peter Katzenmeyer of Pennsylvania" in the May-June, 1945, issue of this magazine.)

Miss Irene Townsend Dudley has given to the Society two books in memory of her mother, Irene Maybury Dudley:- 1. "An Historical and Genealogical Account of Andrew Robeson of Scotland, New Jersey and Pennsylvania", edited by Kate Hamilton Osborne, 1916; 2. "History of the D. A. R. of Florida - 1892-1933", Vol. 1, 1933.

Mrs. Sarah E. Davis, mother of Lelia A. (Mrs. William C.) Hudson, died in Columbus, Ohio, August 5, 1945, and was buried at McArthur, Ohio, August 8. She was born on August 18, 1871, the daughter of David and Sarah L. (Barker) Hawk. (For her ancestry see "Descendants of Elizabeth, daughter of Melchior Brombach of Spottsylvania County, Virginia" in the January-February, 1945, issue of this magazine.)

Mr. Charles Nelson Hickok of Cleveland, Ohio, a member of the society, died at his home on September 14, 1945. (For an account of his life and his ancestry see the "Hickok Genealogy" which he wrote and published in 1938.)

On September 8 the first meeting of the year was held. Mr. Francis Waring Robinson, the retiring President, reviewed the work of his two years in office; annual reports were read; some changes in the constitution were approved; the new President, Mr. Elijah Hunter Owen, and other officers were installed; and some interesting genealogical experiences of the summer were related by various members.



SOME DESCENDANTS OF ABRAHAM DAINS AND SARAH PEAKE  
Compiled by Sabria Ann Palmer of Detroit, Michigan.  
Concluded from May-June.

DANIEL STEDMAN DAINS (6), son of Samuel (5), was born Oct. 26, 1827, at Penn Yan, New York; came to Redford, Michigan in 1830; married Elizabeth Vermette, daughter of Antoine Vermette and Mary Triskett, who were married Aug. 16, 1828 in Bucklin Twp., Wayne County, Michigan, by James Bucklin; moved to North Branch, Michigan.

ELIZABETH SOPHRONIA DAINS (6), daughter of Samuel (5), was born in Penn Yan, New York, May 3, 1829; died March 16, 1910 in Detroit, Michigan; is buried in the Pioneer Cemetery in Redford, Michigan; married, January 21, 1849, Andrew LaFleur, born March 9, 1828. They were married by John B. Wallace, uncle of the bride; the witnesses being Matilda and Daniel Dains, her sister and brother. Sophronia Dains came to Redford before she was a year old and was cradled in the hollow stump of a big tree while the log cabin was being built.

Children of Elizabeth Sophronia Dains and Andrew LaFleur (LaFleur):

1. Sarah Jane, b. Sept. 12, 1850; d. Apr. 8, 1853 aged 2 yrs. 6 mos. 27 days.  
Buried in Pioneer Cemetery, Redford, Mich.

2. AURILLA AGENATH, b. Nov. 16, 1852.

Elizabeth Sophronia Dains married (2) George Lincoln Bates, born Springfield, Vermont March 8, 1811; died in Detroit, July 1, 1883; buried in Pioneer Cemetery. He was the son of Allen Bates who died Jan. 21, 1862 aged 73 yrs. 8 mos.

Child of Elizabeth Sophronia Dains and George Lincoln Bates (Bates):

3. EFFIE JESSIE, b. Aug. 13, 1859; *d. June 12, 1949 - Pontiac, Mich. See p. 5-*

MATILDA IRENA DAINS (6), daughter of Samuel (5), was born in Redford, Wayne County, Michigan, Oct. 19, 1831; died in California in 1913 or 1915; married Joseph H. Tiffin, Jan. 27, 1852. John B. Wallace officiated; witnesses, Hancy M. Dains, sister of the bride, and Rolden Ferrington, a resident of Redford. Joseph H. Tiffin was born in 1831; died in Detroit, 1904. Both buried in Pioneer Cemetery. Children of Matilda Irena Dains and Joseph H. Tiffin (Tiffin):

1. Charles

2. Adelbert

3. Nellie, b. 1864, d. 1923; m. John Blue, b. Mar. 16, 1858, d. Sept. 6, 1892.  
Both buried in Pioneer Cemetery, Redford, Mich.

HANCY MULVENIA DAINS (6), daughter of Samuel (5), was born Oct. 1, 1833 in Redford, Wayne County, Michigan; died May 17, 1923 at her home, 3238 McGraw Ave., Detroit, aged 89 years, 7 months, 16 days. She was the oldest member of Grand River Ave. Methodist Episcopal Church at the time of her death. On Sept. 30, 1852 she was married to William Palmer, a native of Detroit, born Nov. 14, 1829, died Dec. 7, 1879. I think he was born on Lot 6, Section 4, one block east of Woodward Ave. on the south side of Jefferson Ave., where his father, James M. Palmer, owned land and his grandfather, John Palmer, kept a hotel known as the Pat Palmer Hotel. They were married by John Buck Wallace, uncle of the bride; the witnesses being Henry Palmer, brother of the groom, and Cyrenia Dains, sister of the bride. Both are buried in Grand Lawn Cemetery on the Palmer lot, together with two of their sons, James Perry and William Henry Palmer.

Children of Hancy Mulvenia Dains and William Palmer (Palmer):

1. JAMES PERRY, b. Aug. 16, 1853.

2. Samuel Dains, b. Oct. 8, 1856, d. Aug. 21, 1860; buried in Wallaceville Cemetery.

3. William Henry, b. May 31, 1859 in Dearborn, Michigan, d. Oct. 4, 1918 at his home, 3238 McGraw Ave., Detroit; unmarried. He was postmaster at Yew (now a part of Detroit); attended Caton's Business College, Detroit. He

had a beautiful tenor voice and sang in Grace M. E. Church choir for many years. He was a genial host and had scores of friends. I looked to him as a father, and he took care of me until I was old enough to care for myself.

4. ELLA ELVARETTIA, b. Aug. 6, 1865.
5. Sabria Ann, born at Yew P. O., Greenfield, Wayne County, Michigan, seven miles from Detroit city hall, Aug. 6, 1873, has always lived in Wayne County. She attended the Ypsilanti Normal School, Caton's Business College, and taught school in Wayne County for thirty-three years. The Palmer sisters, and relatives have taught continuously in Wayne County and Detroit for nearly seventy years. On April 9, 1941 Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ford gave a party at Greenfield Village in commemoration of the first term of school taught by Sabria Ann Palmer in the Little Red School-house from April 7, 1890 to June 27, 1890. Anne Campbell, Detroit News Post, wrote a poem for the occasion. She was married to Emmet Lamb on January 24, 1923.

MARGARET CYRENIA DAINS (6), daughter of Samuel (5), was born in Redford, Michigan, Oct. 31, 1839; died (-----); married Albert Hayt.

Children of Margaret Cyrenia Dains and Albert Hayt (Hayt):

1. Lester, m. (-----) (-----); d. in California. He had two sons and a dau. Margery, who m. Don Butterfield and lives in Pasadena, Calif. They have one dau.
2. Herbert, died young.
3. Ida, m. Frank Convis; d. in Ithaca, Mich.; bur. in Henderson, Mich.

SARAH LOVENIA DAINS (6), daughter of Samuel (5), was born in Redford, Michigan, on July 21, 1842; died Feb. 11, 1917; married (1) James B. Heywood, April 27, 1862. He was born Feb. 3, 1840, was a soldier in the Civil War and died in Andersonville prison, Oct. 11, 1864. They were married by Solomon Wightman, Justice of the Peace; witnesses, Daniel Tompkins and John Snyder of Dearborn. Sarah Lovenia Dains married (2) Luke Hostetter, March 8, 1866.

Children of Sarah Lovenia Dains:

By first husband (Heywood);

1. ADA ESTHER, b. March 21, 1863.

By second husband (Hostetter):

2. William, d. about three years ago (1940-41)
3. Herman, m. and both he and his wife died several years ago.
4. Luke, d. about 1940.
5. John, d. several years ago, unmarried.

All lived in Detroit; left several sons and many grandchildren.

LUCY LUCINA DAINS (6), daughter of Samuel (5), was born March 10, 1849 in Redford, Michigan; married Thomas Cooley of Redford. After his death she moved to Emporia, Kansas, with her brother, William Henry Harrison Dains, died and was buried there.

SAMUEL WASHINGTON DAINS (6), son of Ephraim (5), married Hulda Gillette. He served in the Civil War.

Children of Samuel Washington Dains and Hulda Gillette (Dains);

1. VIDA AMANDA
2. At least two sons, one of whom lived in Locke, Ingham County, Michigan.

#### Seventh Generation

AURILLA ACENATH LAFLEUR (7), daughter of Elizabeth Sophronia Dains (6), was born in Redford, Michigan, Nov. 16, 1852; died April 1, 1898, Cedar Rapids, Nebraska; married Darwin B. Smith of Detroit. He died in California.

Children of Aurilla Acenath LaFleur and Darwin B. Smith (Smith):

1. AVERY D.
2. FRANK

EFFIE JESSIE BATES (7), daughter of Elizabeth Sophronia Dains (6), was born Aug. 13, 1859, Ypsilanti, Michigan; married May 1, 1878 to Edward J. Gordon, who was born Oct. 22, 1858 in Liverpool, England; *d. Nov. 12, 1945 - Detroit, Mich.*  
Children of Effie Jessie Bates and Edward J. Gordon (Gordon):

1. ARTHUR E., b. July 17, 1879.
2. CHARLES LINCOLN, b. Nov. 6, 1881.

JAMES PERRY PALMER (7), son of Hancy Mulvenia Dains (6), was born Aug. 16, 1853 in Dearborn, Michigan. He attended Mayhew's Business College. In 1880 he married Harriet Ann Becker in Redford. He died at his home, 3610 National Ave., Detroit, Dec. 22, 1911, and was buried in Grand Lawn Cemetery on Christmas Day. His wife died at the same place on May 27, 1919 and was buried in Grand Lawn Cemetery.  
Children of James Perry Palmer and Harriet Ann Becker (Palmer):

1. Zach Stanley Palmer, b. at Yew P. O., Greenfield, Mich., Nov. 1, 1882.
2. ERWIN EVAN PALMER, b. May 17, 1887.

ELLA ELVARETTIA PALMER (7), daughter of Hancy Mulvenia Dains (6), was born Aug. 6, 1856 in Redford, Michigan. She attended Caton's Business College, Emma A. Thomas' School of Music, and taught in Wayne County about nine years. She married William Girard Winchester, Aug. 10, 1892. He was born Aug. 25, 1853; died several years ago and is buried in Grand Lawn Cemetery.

1. GEORGE WHITFIELD.
2. WILLIAM GIRARD II.
3. FLORENCE ELVERETTIA.
4. Frances, b. in Ironwood, Mich.; taught in Detroit schools about 12 years; married William Donnelly, June, 1944.

ADA ESTHER HEYWOOD (7), daughter of Sarah Levenia Dains (6), was born Mar., 21, 1863; married David Myers, Sept. 30, 1882. He was born June 5, 1860, died about 1940. They lived in St. Joseph, Michigan.

1. Agnes, d. young.
2. Zola, m. (----) (----).
3. Stanley, m. (----) (----)

VIDA AMANDA DAINS (7), daughter of Samuel Washington Dains (6), married George Atkins, whose mother was Mary Lovejoy. (See Lovejoy Genealogy.)

Children of Vida Amanda Dains and George Atkins (Atkins):

1. Lee, lived in Burley, Idaho. He, his wife and his father-in-law were killed in an auto accident in 1938, when near his mother's home in West Branch, Michigan, on his way to pay her a visit.
2. SAMUEL M.

#### Eighth Generation.

AVERY DARWIN SMITH (8), son of Aurilla Acenath LaFleur (7), was born in Detroit; married Mary (----) in Cedar Rapids, Nebraska; moved to Long Beach, California and died there in 1942.

Children of Avery Darwin Smith and Mary (----) (Smith):

1. Mary, d. young; was twin of
2. Martha, m. and lives in California.
3. Alden
4. Howard " " " " "
5. DWIGHT OLNEY.



FRANK SMITH (8), son of Aurilla Aconath LaFleur (7), was born in Detroit; married Saidee (----); lives in Manly, Iowa.

Children of Frank Smith and Saidee (----) (Smith):

1. Ruth, a teacher, m. and lives in Iowa.
2. A son.

ARTHUR E. GORDON (8), son of Effie Jessie Bates (7), was born in Detroit, July 17, 1879; m. (1) Winifred L. Sherman, who was born June 29, 1875 and died Sept. 1, 1938; m. (2) Ethel Franklin Wright, Oct. 21, 1939. She was born Oct. 21, 1879. He has been a Judge of Records Court in Detroit for many years.

Child of Arthur E. Gordon and Winifred L. Sherman (Gordon):

1. Lynn Sherman, b. April 1, 1901, Detroit.

CHARLES LINCOLN GORDON (8), son of Effie Jessie Bates (7), was born in Detroit, Nov. 6, 1881; married Anna L. Cave, Nov. 3, 1903, who was born July 21, 1882.

Child of Charles Lincoln Gordon and Anna L. Cave (Gordon):

1. ARTHUR DOUGLAS, b. Dec. 25, 1905.

ERWIN EVAN PALMER (8), son of James Perry Palmer (7), was born on Michigan Ave., Springwells (now a part of Detroit), Michigan; married Clara Andre of Detroit.

Children of Erwin Evan Palmer and Clara Andre (Palmer):

1. HARRIET ANN, b. May 27, 1918; just twenty minutes after the death of her grandmother, Harriet Ann Palmer, wife of James Perry Palmer.
2. Dorothy Jane, b. in Detroit, m. Robert Pehrson, December, 1944.

GEORGE WHITFIELD WINCHESTER (8), son of Ella Elverettia Palmer (7), was born in Ironwood, Michigan; teacher and chemist; served in World War I; married Isabelle Gamble; lives in Connecticut.

Children of George Whitfield Winchester and Isabelle Gamble (Winchester):

1. George Whitfield, Jr., b. May 17, 1925, in service in U. S. Army.
2. William Rager, b. May 11, 1930.

WILLIAM GIRARD WINCHESTER, Jr. (8), son of Ella Elverettia Palmer (7), was born in Ironwood, Gogebic County, Michigan; served in World War I and was in France about ten months; married Marguerite Thiel Barrie.

Children of William Girard Winchester and Marguerite Thiel Barrie (Winchester):

1. William Girard III, b. March 10, 1922; in service in U. S. Navy.
2. Robert Barrie, b. Nov. 20, 1925; " " " " " "

FLORENCE ELVERETTIA WINCHESTER (8), daughter of Ella Elverettia Palmer (7), was born in Ironwood, Michigan; teacher in Detroit schools for twelve years; married Harry Roswell Tobie, July 18, 1931; lives in Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Children of Florence Elverettia Winchester and Harry Roswell Tobie (Tobie):

1. Sally Alicia, b. in Grand Rapids, Mich., Nov. 8, 1935.
2. Harry Theodore, b. " " " " " " June, 1942.
3. Bruce Palmer, d. soon after birth.

SAMUEL M. ATKINS (8), son of Vida Amanda Dains (7), married Fosie (----); lives in West Branch, Ogemaw County, Michigan.

Children of Samuel M. Atkins and Fosie (----) Atkins:

1. George Joseph, b. Chicago, Ill., Dec. 6, 1919; enlisted in the U. S. Marine Corps, Oct. 28, 1942; was killed in action in the South Seas; his parents received word of his death, Dec. 23, 1943.
2. Thomas L., received his commission as Ensign in the U. S. Navy, Dec. 22, 1943, at Northwestern University.
3. Mary, m. Sterling Ammond of Dearborn, Michigan.

Ninth Generation

DWIGHT OLNEY SMITH (9), son of Avery Darwin Smith (8), was born in Cedar Rapids, Nebraska; was graduated from Redlands (California) University, 1922, and from the California Institute of Technology, 1925. He went as a missionary teacher in Judson College, Rangoon, Burma, in 1925. He married in Rangoon Muriel Martin, daughter of a family of famous missionaries in India.

Children of Dwight Olney Smith and Muriel Martin (Smith):

1. Barbara 2. Carolyn 3. Dwight, Jr.

ARTHUR DOUGLAS GORDON (9), son of Charles Lincoln Gordon (8), married Ruth Grodi, born Aug. 16, 1904.

Child of Arthur Douglas Gordon and Ruth Grodi (Gordon):

1. Doris Jean, b. July 13, 1926.

HARRIET ANN PALMER (9), daughter of Erwin Evan Palmer (8), was born in Detroit, Michigan, May 27, 1918; married Robert A. Burns of Detroit.

Children of Harriet Ann Palmer and Robert A. Burns (Burns):

1. Marilyn, b. Nov. 30, 1942.
2. Robert, b. June 27, 1945, weight 10 $\frac{1}{2}$  lbs. He was born on the 55th anniversary of the closing of my first term of school in the Scotch Settlement School, now standing in Greenfield Village, Dearborn, Michigan.

WILLIAM JENNINGS DONNELLY, Jr. (9), son of Frances Winchester (8), was born at 10:30 A. M., Thursday, July 19, 1945.

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## AN EARLE FAMILY REGISTER

Contributed by Louis C. Cramton of Lapeer, Michigan.

Note: Judge Cramton writes that he picked up the following record in an antique shop at Ailsa Craig, near London, Ontario, Canada. It is a piece of nice needlework done in the oldtime sampler style on dark red linen, with white thread, and some embellishments in other colors, framed attractively under glass. It has been placed on file in the Burton Historical Collection of the Detroit Public Library.

FAMILY Register

Frederic Earle born Oct. 11 1759

Miss Elizabeth Young born Feb. 21, 1771

Were Married July 6, 1791

Names	Births	Deaths
Frederic Earle J	April 26, 1792	
Harriot Earle	August 11, 1794	Daniel Tar 1
William Y Earle	July 19, 1796	
Ethan Earle	Oct 27, 1798	
Xenophon Earle	May 4, 1801	
George Earle	June 7, 1803	
Elizabeth Earle	Nov. 10, 1805	
Mary F. Earle	April 26, 1809	
Walford Earle	October 21, 18011	
Susan Earle		
Mr.		
Mrs.		

## LAMPHERE SCHOOL RECORDS (1844-1854)

Contributed by William C. Hudson of Royal Oak, Michigan.

Fractional School District No. 4, commonly known as the Lamphere School, is located near John R. and Thirteen Mile Roads in the northeastern corner of Royal Oak Township, Oakland County, Michigan. The District was organized in 1844 and has faithfully preserved its records. Among the earliest settlers in the district were Abraham Valentine Rouse, Martin Blunt, Archibald Lamphere, Varnum Lamphere, Manton H. Hammond, Olaf W. Newton, Silas Simonson, Elijah Stanley, George Dawson, A. B. Johnson, Ephraim D. Thompson - all of whom located there prior to 1840 - and Thomas Brace, Emanuel Case, Thomas Hitchcock, Daniel A. Denison, Samuel Noyes and Benjamin Noyes - who came between 1840 and 1844. Most of these families came originally from New York State. They nearly all had children of school age and their interest in educating them is shown by the active part they took in organizing the district and carrying on its affairs.

The new district as originally constituted consisted of Sections 1, 2, 11 and 12. The first meeting of the taxable inhabitants was held at the School-house (which must therefore have been previously built) on the 13th of June, 1844, pursuant to a call issued June 8th by the Township School Inspectors. M. H. Hammond presided. Minutes of this meeting were entered in a Register, which after one hundred years is in good condition, legible and contains entries of meetings and other proceedings between 1844 and 1870.

Benjamin Noyes, who had first come to Royal Oak Township in 1824 and was therefore one of the township's pioneers, was elected Moderator. Daniel A. Denison, a young man of twenty-nine, and a comparative new-comer in the district, was chosen Director. He had come from New York State to Oakland County in 1831 with his father. Already a widower, he had recently married the widow, Louisa P. Wilbur, who was the mother of three children of school age, and was the daughter of Socrates Hopkins, first Royal Oak Township Clerk. Mr. Denison was a good penman and it was he who kept the minutes and initiated the good record system of the district. William Noyes was elected District Assessor.

It was resolved to have a three month's term of school with a female teacher. Shortly thereafter Mr. Denison engaged the services of Phidelia Tillison of Bloomfield Township to teach in the district at a salary of one dollar per week, school to begin June 17, 1844.

A census was taken September 28, 1844, showing the following children between the ages of four and eighteen resident in the district at that time, forty-one in number.

School Census  
(Lamphere District - 1844)

1. Randolph Wilber (Wilbur)	16. Peter Simonson	31. Lorna Lamphere
2. Dewit Wilber	17. Lucretia Lamphere	32. George Lamphere
3. Louisa Wilber	18. Silas Lamphere	33. John Walker
4. Jemima Johnson	19. Elizabeth Noyes	34. James Walker
5. Sophronia Johnson	20. William Noyes	35. William Walker
6. Gool (?) Johnson	21. Fanny Noyes	36. Hannah Walker
7. Frederick Brace	22. Henry Hitchcock	37. Ester Walker
8. George Brace	23. Jane Hitchcock	38. Betsy Newton
9. Thomas Brace	24. Miriam (Marion) Hitchcock	39. Morason Finch
10. William Rifinburg	25. Prescott Hammond	40. John Finch
11. Albert Simonson	26. Howard Hammond	41. Michael Finch
12. Caroline Simonson	27. Hannah Langdon	
13. Orval Simonson	28. Henry Smith	
14. Jannet Simonson	29. Electa Lamphere	
15. Mary Simonson	30. Olive (Olive) Lamphere	



The Annual meeting was held Oct. 8, 1844. The officers were re-elected. It was resolved to have a winter term of school for four months and each parent or guardian was required to furnish three-fourths of a cord of wood for each "scholar" they sent to school. School opened Nov. 18, 1844, and on that day Z. (Zilpha) R. Phelps signed a contract to teach sixteen weeks at a salary of \$1.50 per week. Of the pupils in that first winter school several played a part in the affairs of the district in later years: Randolph Wilbur became Assessor in 1860; DeWit Wilbur, Director in 1861; Louisa P. Wilbur, teacher in 1859; and Frederick Brace, Director in 1877.

While there were changes in the population of the district during the years following its formation, and a number of new families moved in, the original founders continued to take the leadership in school affairs for many years and alternated in filling the district offices. Benjamin Noyes, the Moderator, moved out of the district the first winter and was replaced by Thomas Hitchcock. In 1848 a proposition to build a new school house was rejected. The census of Sept. 26, 1850 showed 74 persons between the ages of four and eighteen. In addition to many of the original pupils the following new names appeared:

James Locknan (Lockman)	James Dawson	Martha Noyes
Edmond Locknan	Isaac Dawson	Mary Benson
Catharine Locknan	Edwin Dawson	Martha Benson
John Locknan	C. J. Everest	Erwin Benson
John Hanley	Benjamin Everest	Ira Benson
Mary Lynch	Emily Everest	Jane Hill
John Lynch	Charles Everest	Mariah McKinney
Michael Lynch	Mary E. Everest	Avery Denison
William Lynch	Jane McRoberts	Eunice M. Denison
Wm. McCrackin (McCrackin)	Charles McRoberts	Daniel Case
John McCrackin	Mary Ann McRoberts	Marshal Thompson
Gilbert Newton	Sarah McRoberts	Elizabeth McDowell
Levi Newton	Wm. McRoberts	Emily R. Hitchcock
John Collins	Isaac Brace	William H. Hammond
Hannah Collins	John McBride	Olivia A. Hammond
Lawrence Collins	Samuel McBride	William Solts
James McCavey	Mathew McBride	Samuel Solts
John McCavey	Margaret McBride	Robert Solts
Sally J. Dawson	Nina McBride	Esther L. Mills

On Dec. 26th, 1850 a special meeting was held to decide upon the question of building a new school-house. By a unanimous vote of the taxpayers present a resolution was adopted to erect a new building according to plans prepared by D. A. Denison and levy a tax of \$225 to pay for same. Those present and recording their votes "aye" were:

Emanuel Case	V. Lamphere	C. Wheeler
A. V. Rouse	A. Lamphere	D. A. Denison
E. D. Thompson	T. Brace	

In 1851 it was decided to have the Board visit the school once a year by spending one-half day at school.

Until 1857 teachers in the district continued to "board round" among the school patrons, but that year it was decided that the teacher of the winter term should have a permanent boarding place. The practice of boarding round continued during the summer terms until 1870 or later. The first male teacher, Calvin P. Quick, was employed for the 1853-4 winter term.

The teachers during the first ten years were as follows:

1844 Summer term	Phidelia Tillison of Bloomfield Twp.
1844-45 Winter term	Zilpha R. Phelps of Troy Twp.
1845 Summer term	Lucrotia Barr
1845-46 Winter term	G. E. Simonson
1846 Summer term	S. E. Johnson
1846-47 Winter term	Zilpha R. Phelps
1847 Summer term	Emily Smith
1847-48 Winter term	Zilpha R. Phelps
1848 Summer term	Lois Beebe
1848-49 Winter term	Margaret Soultz (Solts) of Royal Oak Twp.
1849 Summer term	Lucy A. Russell
1849-50 Winter term	Margaret Ann Evans
1850 Summer term	Lucy Ann Russell
1850-51 Winter term	Caroline Stone
1851 Summer term	Mariah Newton
1851-52 Winter term	Emily M. Willet
1852 Summer term	Lucy A. Russell
1852-53 Winter term	Anna Stanley
1853 Summer term	Mary Bennet
1853-54 Winter term	Calvin P. Quick

#### SHERWOOD-ALLEN-STALKER BIBLE RECORD

Contributed by Francis Waring Robinson of Detroit, Michigan.

Note: A Family Bible record, detached from an octave Bible of mid-nineteenth century date, found among the papers of the late Malcolm Day Rudd of Lakeville, Connecticut, now in the possession of the contributor. FWR

#### Births

Marcus Sherwood born at Salisbury, Conn. Oct. 11th, 1852.  
 Emma (Allen) Sherwood born at Mellenville, N. Y. July 8th, 1852.  
 Lula Sherwood born at Claverack, N. Y. Dec. 31st, 1873.  
 Harry Sherwood born in Mellenville, N. Y. May 17th, 1879.

(The following apparently copied into this record from earlier Allen record. FWR)

John Allen born Aug. 31st, 1812.  
 Eliza Stalker April 3rd, 1823.

Catherine E. Allen Feb. 28th, 1841.

Sarah S. Allen Jan. 31st, 1843.

Mary J. Allen April 13th, 1845.

Charles A. Allen July 27th, 1847.

John A. Allen Feb. 3rd, 1850.

Emma L. Allen July 8th, 1852.

Lydia Allen Jan. 20th, 1855.

David E. Allen Feb. 3rd, 1857.

William H. Allen Feb 6th, 1859.

#### Marriages

Marcus Edward Sherwood of Salisbury, Conn. (Philmont, N. Y.) and Emma L. Allen of Mellenville, N. Y. (Philmont, N. Y.) were united in marriage on the 25th day of Sept. 1872 by G. W. Knapp.

#### Deaths

Lula Sherwood died May 10th, 1884.

SOME DESCENDANTS OF JOHN ALDERMAN WHITMAN  
Compiled by Elijah Hunter Owen of Detroit, Michigan.

JOHN ALDERMAN WHITMAN was born on March 11, 1806 (obituary) in Timmouth, Rutland County, Vermont, the eldest son of John Alderman and Dorcas (Davis) Whitman of Timmouth (both b. New Hampshire; he died 1865, she died 1862); died December 25, 1893, aged 88 years (F. R.); buried in Whitman Cemetery near Midland, Michigan; married (1) June, 1833, in Livingston County, New York, Lucinda Cogswell, born in New York State, died in Michigan, 1848; married (2) June, 1850, in Saginaw County, Michigan, Joanna Moran, born April 2, 1832 in Waterford, Ireland, the daughter of John and (----) (Allons) Moran of Ireland; died October 14, 1900, aged 68 years, 6 months, 12 days (Midland V. R.) His parents came to New York State about 1814; as a young man he belonged to the New York State Troops. About 1827 he went to Crawford County, Pennsylvania; to Genesee, Livingston County, New York about 1830; to Saginaw County, Michigan; to Ingersoll Township, Midland County, Michigan, E $\frac{1}{2}$  of Section 1, Ingersoll Township on the Tittabawassee River in 1844. He was the first white settler in Ingersoll Township and the first permanent settler in the county; the first Justice of the Peace, 1853; and the first treasurer of the county, elected in 1855. He performed the first marriage in the township in 1854; was Highway Commissioner and School Director; was township treasurer in Saginaw County. Mrs. Dow of Midland says he settled in the county in 1835 and Chapman Bros. "Portrait and Biographical Album of Midland County, Michigan" says the spring of 1836. He belonged to Midland Tent K. O. T. M. #122. Midland County Land Records: James and Elizabeth Fraser to John A. Whitman, all of Saginaw County, Nov. 5, 1843, Sec. 2, Twp. 13, N of R 2E (Ingersoll Twp.), 13 acres.

Children of John Alderman Whitman (according to obituary) (Whitman):

By first wife:

1. John, d. as 14.
2. JAMES A., b. May 31, 1843, Saginaw Co., Mich.
3. LUCINDA JANE, b. Mar. 24, 1845, Ingersoll Twp., Midland Co., Mich.
4. MARY M., b. 1847, in Mich.
5. WILLIAM, b. Dec. 10, 1847 in Mich.

By second wife:

6. GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. Mar. 15, 1853 in Mich.
7. DANIEL WILLIAM, b. Nov. 11, 1855 (F. R.).
8. ELLA, b. 1858.
9. ALICE,
10. Frank, of Saginaw Co., Mich.
11. John J., d. unmarried.
12. LAURA MAY, b. 1868.
13. John,
14. Kate,
15. Bertha, b. Oct. 29, 1871, Williamstown, Bay Co., d. Nov. 11, 1876 (F. R.)

References: Family Record (F. R.)

Obituary (Obit) filed with family record.

Vital Records (V. R.) of Midland County, Michigan.

Portrait and Biographical Album of Midland County, Michigan, Pub. by Chapman Bros., 1884, pp. 377 and 233.

2. JAMES ALDERMAN WHITMAN (John A., John A.) was born May 31, 1843 in Saginaw Co., Mich., son of John Alderman and Lucinda (Cogswell) Whitman of Ingersoll Twp., Midland Co., Mich.; died May 16, 1929, as 85 yrs. 11 mos. 15 das. (V. R.); married (1) Myra Barton (sister of Joseph Barton, who married Lucinda Jane Whitman); married (2) Apr. 6, 1889 (V. R.) Mrs. Ella (McCreery) Nepp, b. 1849,

dau. of Collon and (----) McCreery, from N. Bradley, Mich. He lived on Sec. 9, Porter Twp., Midland Co., Mich.; was a farmer and lumberman.

Child of James A. and Myra (Barton) Whitman (Whitman):

1. A daughter who died aged about 14 years.

References: Midland County Vital Records.

Portrait & Biographical Album of Midland Co., Mich., 1884, p. 240.

Mrs. Edgar Sirrine of Midland, grand-daughter of John A. Whitman.

3. LUCINDA JANE WHITMAN (John A., John A.) was born Mar. 24, 1845, Ingersoll Twp., Midland Co., Mich., dau. of John A. and Lucinda (Cogswell) Whitman of Ingersoll Twp.; died Feb. 13, 1920 at 74 yrs. 10 mos. 19 das. (Midland City V. R.); married Jan. 14, 1859, Joseph Barton, born Nov. 30, 1838, Rochester, N. Y., died Jan. 22 (?), 1910, Mt. Haley Twp., Midland Co. His father was in Genesee, Livingston Co., N. Y. in 1843, in Alleghany Co., N. Y. in 1847, in Homer Twp., Midland Co., Mich. Oct. 1854. He died 1862, his wife in 1871; owned 320 acres of land. Joseph Barton was a farmer and lumberman; was the first settler in Mt. Haley Twp., Sec. 4, 1865. His wife was the first white child born in Ingersoll Twp. and second in the county. He bought 73 acres in Homer Twp; is said to have traded a pony for 40 acres of land, where he lived until he died. Children of Lucinda Jane (Whitman) and Joseph Barton (Barton):

1. JOSEPH HENRY, b. Apr. 7, 1861.
2. JULIA L., b. Oct. 6, 1863.
3. Cora, b. Apr. 18, 1865; d. Feb. 10, 1866.
4. ELLEN, b. Nov. 17, 1866.
5. KATHERINE, b. July 2, 1868.
6. Clara, b. Feb. 20, 1871; d. Sept. 4, 1873.
7. ROSELTHA, b. Aug. 23, 1872.
8. MAUD A., b. Dec. 11, 1876.
9. A female child, b. Apr. 6, 1879, stillborn (V. R.)
10. FLOYD WILLIAM, b. July 2, 1880.
11. A child, b. Jan. 31, 1882; d. Feb. 25, 1882.
12. A child, d. Feb. 21, 1883, infant (V. R.)
13. FLORENCE, b. 1883.

Reference: Portrait & Biographical Album of Midland Co., Mich., 1884, p. 297.

Mrs. Sirrine.

1. Joseph Henry Barton, b. Apr. 7, 1861, son of Joseph and Lucinda Jane (Whitman) Barton, of Mt. Haley Twp., Midland Co., Mich.; m. Caroline Swarthout, sister of George Swarthout, who m. Roseltha Barton, and dau. of J. R. and Caroline (Bergtold) Swarthout of Homer Twp.

Children of Joseph Henry and Caroline (Swarthout) Barton (Barton):

1. Lidia, b. 1886, in Mich.; teacher; m. Jan. 1, 1907, Midland City, (V. R.), Alexander Brooks, b. 1885, in Mich., son of Samuel and Rebecca (Fisher) Brooks, a farmer of Mt. Haley Twp.  
Child of Lidia (Barton) and Alexander Brooks (Brooks):  
  1. Charles
2. Charles, b. ca 1888; m. Catherine Williams.  
Child of Charles and Catherine (Williams) Barton (Barton):  
  1. A female infant, d. Jan. 1919 (Midland V. R.)
3. Daisy, b. Apr. 15, 1890; d. June 15, 1890 (Homer Twp. V. R.)
4. Katherine L., m. July 17, 1915 (V. R.), Dan McDonald.  
Child of Katherine L. (Barton) and Dan McDonald (McDonald):  
  1. "Bud".

Reference: Midland County Vital Records; Mrs. Edgar Sirrine.



2. Julia L. Barton, b. Oct. 6, 1863, dau. of Joseph and Lucinda Jane (Whitman) Barton, of Mt. Haley Twp., Midland Co., Mich.; m. (1) Laf Wayne, m. (2) Joseph Lagoo of Cadillac, Mich.  
Children of Julia L. Barton:  
By first husband (Wayne):  
1. Fred, deceased.  
By second husband (Lagoo):  
2. John 3. Cora 4. Mary 5. Edith 6. Ernest 7. David 8. Charles  
9. Sidney
4. Ellen Barton, b. Nov. 17, 1866, Mt. Haley Twp., dau. of Joseph and Lucinda Jane (Whitman) Barton; first child born in Mt. Haley Twp.; m. Frank McDermott.  
Children of Ellen (Barton) and Frank McDermott (McDermott):  
1. Lawrence 2. Margaret 3. Glen 4. James
5. Katherine Barton, b. July 2, 1868, dau. of Joseph and Lucinda Jane (Whitman) Barton of Mt. Haley Twp., Midland Co., Mich.; m. Nov. 20, 1913, Mt. Haley (V. R.) Lemuel C. Hickerson, b. 1859 in Ohio, son of Scott and Elizabeth (Baun) Hickerson; a farmer of Mt. Haley Twp., Midland Co., Mich.; his second marriage; no children.
7. Roseltha Barton, b. Aug. 23, 1872, dau. of Joseph and Lucinda Jane (Whitman) Barton of Mt. Haley Twp., Midland Co., Mich.; m. Aug. 14, 1889, Midland City (V. R.), George Swarthout, b. 1867, New York State, son of J. R. and Caroline (Bergtold) Swarthout and sister of Caroline Swarthout who m. Joseph Henry Barton; farmer of Homer Twp., Midland Co., Mich.  
Children of Roseltha (Barton) and George Swarthout (Swarthout):  
1. George 2. Edith 3. Ralph 4. Carrie 5. Joe 6. Effie 7. Ed
8. Maud A. Barton, b. Dec. 11, 1876, dau. of Joseph and Lucinda Jane (Whitman) Barton of Mt. Haley Twp., Midland Co., Mich.; m. Dec. 6, 1893, Midland City (V. R.) A. W. Frost, b. 1864 in Pennsylvania, son of C. E. and Sarah J. Parmeter) Frost; farmer of Mt. Haley Twp.; worked in oil fields; returned to Pennsylvania.  
Children of Maud A. (Barton) and A. W. Frost (Frost):  
1. Beatrice 2. Donald 3. Russell
10. Floyd William Barton, b. July 2, 1880, son of Joseph and Lucinda Jane (Whitman) Barton of Mt. Haley Twp., Midland Co., Mich.; m. (1) Dec. 24, 1902, Midland City (V. R.) Bertha C. Stanford, b. 1880 in Mich., dau of Fred and Nellie A. (Dorr) Stanford of Lincoln Twp.; m. (2) Ethel (----); farmer of Mt. Haley Twp.; his first wife was a teacher.  
Children of Floyd William Barton (by which wife not known) (Barton):  
1. Fleda 2. Fred 3. William
13. Florence Barton, b. 1883, dau. of Joseph and Lucinda (Whitman) Barton of Mt. Haley Twp., Midland Co., Mich.; m. Nov. 13, 1901, Midland City (V. R.) Edgar Sirrine, b. 1880 in Trumbull Co., Ohio, son of James and Elizabeth (Congdon) Sirrine of Greene, Trumbull Co., Ohio; farmer in Homer Twp., Midland Co., Mich.; in 1942 retired and now living in Midland City.  
Children of Florence (Barton) and Edgar Sirrine (Sirrine):  
1. Mertie, m. Arthur Mathews of Midland.  
Children (Mathews):  
1. Margaret 2. Russell 3. Loretta

2. Robert, m. Mildred Moe of Sanford, Mich.

Children (Sirrine):

1. Norma 2. Edgar 3. Janet

3. Norma, died young.

4. Henry, m. Margaret Lang of Midland; no children.

5. Leon Ernest, m. Apr. 1942, Betty Ritzer of Midland; now (1942) in U. S. Army.

References: Midland County Vital Records

Mrs. Edgar Sirrine of Midland, Michigan.

4. MARY M. WHITMAN (John A., John A.) was born in 1847 in Michigan, daughter of John Alderman and Lucinda (Cogswell) Whitman of Ingersoll Twp., Midland County, Michigan; m. (1) (----) Smith; m. (2) Dec. 24, 1896, Homer (V. R.), Alvin Higgins, b. Aug. 28, 1837, New York State, son of Harvey and Laura (Whitman) Higgins, d. Apr. 6, 1899, Homer, ae. 61 years 7 months 8 days (V. R.). Both husbands were of Homer Twp., Midland Co., Mich. The record of her second marriage gives her father's name as "Alderman".

Children of Mary M. (Whitman) and (----) Smith (Smith):

1. A daughter of Saginaw, Mich.

2. Lottie, m. (----) Harris of Midland, Mich.

Reference: Midland County Vital Records.

5. WILLIAM WHITMAN (John A., John A.) was born Dec. 10, 1847, son of John Alderman and Lucinda (Cogswell) Whitman, died June 28, 1924, ae 76 years 6 months 18 das. Midland (V. R.); m. Emma Perry; he was a farmer of Tittabawassee Twp., Saginaw County, Michigan.

Children of William and Emma (Perry) Whitman (Whitman):

1. Claude, b. 1884; m. Feb. 10, 1907, Smith's Crossing (V. R.), Margaret McCrary, b. 1887 in Mich., dau. of William and Alice (Johnson) McCrary of North Bradley, Mich.; was a farmer at Freeland, Mich.; member of the M. E. Church.

2. Jesse P., m. Feb. 4, 1915, Ingersoll Twp. (V. R.), Augusta B. Hancock, b. 1895 in Mich., dau. of Ward J. and Rosa (Smith) Hancock of Ingersoll;

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6. GEORGE WASHINGTON WHITMAN (John A., John A.) was born Mar. 15, 1853, son of John Alderman and Joanna (Moran) Whitman of Ingersoll Twp., Midland County, Michigan; died June 14, 1914, Ingersoll, aged 61 years 2 months 29 days (V. R.); married Nov. 20, 1880, Midland (V. R.), Mary Munger, b. 1857 in Michigan, sister of Wallace Munger of Freeland, d. June 23, 1916 (P. R.). He was a farmer, Sec. 1, Ingersoll Twp., Midland Co., Mich.

Child (perhaps) of George Washington and Mary (Munger) Whitman (Whitman):

1. Pearl, b. 1885; m. (----) Mosher of Smith's Crossing.

Probate Record #1333, Midland County:

Estate of Mary M. Whitman, 1916

Petition by Wallace Munger, brother

Mrs. James Hubbard of Smith's Crossing, Legatee ae ca 55

Mary Higgins of Midland " " 65

Mrs. Pearl Mosher of Smith's Crossing " " 31

The County of Midland Official Register, History, Art Folio and Directory -

Imperial Pub. Co., Saginaw, 1897, has a picture of George W. Whitman.

Reference: Midland County Vital Records.

7. DANIEL WILLIAM WHITMAN (John A., John A.) was born Nov. 11, 1855 (F. R.), Ingersoll, Michigan, son of John Alderman and Joanna (Moran) Whitman of Ingersoll Twp.; died June 1, 1936, aged 80 years 6 months 20 days, Midland (V. R.); married Jan. 1, 1876, Ingersoll (F. R., V. R.), Mary Ann Phetteplace, b. May 24, 1858 (F. R.), Springfield, Erie County, Pennsylvania, dau. of William (b. New York State) and Maria (Wellman) (b. Pennsylvania) Phetteplace of Ingersoll Twp., d. Apr. 12, 1923, aged 64 years 10 months 16 days, Midland (V. R.); farmer of Ingersoll Twp., Midland County, Michigan.

Children of Daniel William and Mary Ann (Phetteplace) Whitman (Whitman):

1. Bessie May, b. Jan. 12, 1878, Ingersoll (F. R.); d. ca 1940; m. (1) Oct. 1, 1900, Midland (V. R.), William D. Shaffner, b. 1870, New York State, son of George and Adeline (Spencer) Shaffner; m. (2) Chris Beckrow.

Child (Beckrow):

1. Theodore, m. (----) (----), Midland.
2. Guy, b. 1880, disappeared ca. 1907, never heard of since.
3. John A., b. 1882; m. Minnie Gunn; ex-Mayor of Midland; World War I; Mason.

Children (Whitman), adopted:

1. John 2. Margaret
3. Grace L., b. 1885, m. (1) (----) Freeman; m. (2) (----) (----).
4. Glenn, b. 1892, m. Jessie (----); lives St. Johns, Mich.; two children.

Reference: Midland County Probate Record #4144

8. ELLA WHITMAN (John A., John A.) was born in 1858 in Michigan, daughter of John Alderman and Joanna (Moran) Whitman of Ingersoll Twp., Midland County, Mich.; died May 7, 1905, aged 47 years (F. R.); married Dec. 24, 1877, Ingersoll (V. R.), Delevan Ames, b. 1850 in New York State; farmer in Homer Twp., Midland County. Children not known.

9. ALICE WHITMAN (John A., John A.), daughter of John Alderman and Joanna (Moran) Whitman, married (1), before 1893, William Harper; married (2), after 1893, Dan McDonald; lived at Smith's Crossing, Michigan.

Children of Ella (Whitman) and William Harper (Harper):

1. Hazel, b. 1887-1890; m. George Lee Camp, b. June 11, 1882 in Homer Twp. son of George Roberts and Cynthia Ann (Hamilton) Camp.

Children (Camp):

1. Lester
2. Harper Lee, b. Oct. 24, 1915, Midland, Mich.
3. Robert
2. Margaret, m. R. M. Hawkins of Detroit, Mich.

Reference: H. L. Camp of Midland, Michigan.

12. LAURA MAY WHITMAN (John A., John A.) was born in 1868 in Midland, daughter of John Alderman and Joanna (Moran) Whitman of Ingersoll Twp., Midland County, Michigan; married Aug. 29, 1887, Midland (V. R.), Arnold Bennett Cooper, born 1862, Detroit, Michigan, died 1925, son of John and Esther (----) Cooper, both natives of Leesville, England; brick manufacturer in Midland; removed to Detroit, Michigan.

Detroit News  
Obituaries

JOHN A. WHITMAN 1858  
MIDLAND, Mich., Oct. 14. — Services will be held here Saturday for John A. Whitman, 66, mayor of Midland from 1922 to 1931, and owner of a cement block company. He died of a heart ailment Tuesday night.

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Children (Sirrime):

1. Norma 2. Edgar 3. Janet

3. Norma, died young.

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Child (perhaps) of George Washington and Mary (Munger) Whitman (Whitman):

1. Pearl, b. 1885; m. (----) Mosher of Smith's Crossing.

Probate Record #1333; Midland County:

Estate of Mary M. Whitman, 1916

Petition by Wallace Munger, brother

Mrs. James Hubbard of Smith's Crossing, Legatee ae ca 55

Mary Higgins of Midland " " 65

Mrs. Pearl Mosher of Smith's Crossing " " 31

The County of Midland Official Register, History, Art Folio and Directory -



Imperial Pub. Co., Saginaw, 1897, has a picture of George W. Whitman.

Reference: Midland County Vital Records.

7. DANIEL WILLIAM WHITMAN (John A., John A.) was born Nov. 11, 1855 (F. R.), Ingersoll, Michigan, son of John Alderman and Joanna (Moran) Whitman of Ingersoll Twp.; died June 1, 1936, aged 80 years 6 months 20 days, Midland (V. R.); married Jan. 1, 1876, Ingersoll (F. R., V. R.), Mary Ann Phetteplace, b. May 24, 1858 (F. R.), Springfield, Erie County, Pennsylvania, dau. of William (b. New York State) and Maria (Wellman) (b. Pennsylvania) Phetteplace of Ingersoll Twp., d. Apr. 12, 1923, aged 64 years 10 months 16 days, Midland (V. R.); farmer of Ingersoll Twp., Midland County, Michigan.

Children of Daniel William and Mary Ann (Phetteplace) Whitman (Whitman):

1. Bessie May, b. Jan. 12, 1878, Ingersoll (F. R.); d. ca 1940; m. (1) Oct. 1, 1900, Midland (V. R.), William D. Shaffner, b. 1870, New York State, son of George and Adeline (Spencer) Shaffner; m. (2) Chris Bockrow.

Child (Bockrow):

1. Theodore, m. (----) (----), Midland.
2. Guy, b. 1880, disappeared ca. 1907, never heard of since.
3. John A., b. 1882; m. Minnie Gunn; ex-Mayor of Midland; World War I; Mason.

Children (Whitman), adopted:

1. John 2. Margaret
4. Grace L., b. 1885, m. (1) (----) Freeman; m. (2) (----) (----).
5. Glenn, b. 1892, m. Jessie (----); lives St. Johns, Mich.; two children.

Reference: Midland County Probate Record #4144

8. ELLA WHITMAN (John A., John A.) was born in 1858 in Michigan, daughter of John Alderman and Joanna (Moran) Whitman of Ingersoll Twp., Midland County, Mich.; died May 7, 1905, aged 47 years (F. R.); married Dec. 24, 1877, Ingersoll (V. R.), Delevan Ames, b. 1850 in New York State; farmer in Homer Twp., Midland County. Children not known.

9. ALICE WHITMAN (John A., John A.), daughter of John Alderman and Joanna (Moran) Whitman, married (1), before 1893, William Harper; married (2), after 1893, Dan McDonald; lived at Smith's Crossing, Michigan.

Children of Ella (Whitman) and William Harper (Harper):

1. Hazel, b. 1887-1890; m. George Lee Camp, b. June 11, 1882 in Homer Twp. son of George Roberts and Cynthia Ann (Hamilton) Camp.

Children (Camp):

1. Lester
2. Harper Lee, b. Oct. 24, 1915, Midland, Mich.
3. Robert
2. Margaret, m. R. M. Hawkins of Detroit, Mich.

Reference: H. L. Camp of Midland, Michigan.

12. LAURA MAY WHITMAN (John A., John A.) was born in 1868 in Midland, daughter of John Alderman and Joanna (Moran) Whitman of Ingersoll Twp., Midland County, Michigan; married Aug. 29, 1887, Midland (V. R.), Arnold Bennett Cooper, born 1862, Detroit, Michigan, died 1925, son of John and Esther (----) Cooper, both natives of Leesville, England; brick manufacturer in Midland; removed to Detroit, Michigan.

WHITMAN, Maude E., April 2 at Lake Worth, Florida; beloved wife of Fenton, Michigan; beloved wife of Grant; dear mother of Earl K. Whitman, Michigan, and Michael, also two grandchildren. Funeral, Thursday, April 5, at Lake Worth, Florida.

Children of Laura May (Whitman) and Arnold Bennett Cooper (Cooper):

1. Gage W., b. Dec. 29, 1890; m. Jan. 10, 1917, Helen Danger,  
b. Port Huron, Michigan; University of Michigan, BCE, 1912; President-  
Treasurer Cooper Supply Co., Detroit; Detroit Athletic Club; Lochmoor  
Country Club; Detroit Board of Commerce; Mrs. Cooper, member of the  
Woman's City Club; residence, Grosse Pointe Park.
- Children of Helen (Danger) and Gage W. Cooper (Cooper):
  1. John 2. Elizabeth
2. Hester, m. John McGrillis of New Hampshire.

Reference: Burton's History of Wayne County, Michigan, Vol. 4, p. 450.

#### RUGGLES FAMILY BIBLE RECORD

Contributed by Mrs. E. V. Howlett of Pontiac, Michigan.

Note: The following record from the Bible of Eliezur Ruggles, pioneer of Oakland County, Michigan, was copied by Mrs. Howlett (May Rockwell) for General Richardson Chapter D. A. R. and for the Detroit Society for Genealogical Research, through the courtesy of Miss Elizabeth Foote of Detroit, Michigan, former owner of the Bible and lineal descendant of Eliezur Ruggles.

#### Family Record

##### Births

Eliezur Ruggles Was  
Born, Sept 21st 1806

Laura Servis was  
Born Feb 2nd 1815

Mehitabel Stratton  
was Born May 1st 1813

Marion Servis son  
of Elizer and Laura Ruggles  
was Born April 8th 1840

Lydia Daughter of Eliezur  
and Mehitabel Ruggles  
was Born March 12th 1843

Laura Delia Ruggles  
was Born Jan 15th 1845

Hannah Ruggles was  
Born Jan 16th 1847

Stanley Ruggles Was  
Born Feb 28th 1851

Eunice Ophelia Ruggles  
was Born May 25th 1853

Emily Ruggles was  
Born Dec 22nd 1855

##### Births

Florence and Flora  
Ruggles was Born  
Sept 13th 1858

Jonathan Phillips  
April 29th (?) 1842

Husband  
of Laura D. Ruggles

J W Travis Husband  
of Hannah Ruggles (no date)

Thomas Harrison  
March 15 (25?) 1843  
Husband of  
Eunice A Ruggles

#### Marriages

Eliezur Ruggles and  
Laura Servis Married  
July 11th 1839

Eliezur Ruggles and  
Mehitabel Stratton  
Married Feb 21st 1842

Jay Travis and Hannah Ruggles  
daughter of Elizer and  
Mehitabel Ruggles were  
married the fifth day of  
December 1871

Thomas Harrison and  
Eunice Alpha Ruggles  
daughter of Elizer Ruggles  
were married  
Dec 1889

Jonathan Phillips and  
Laura Ruggles daughter of  
Elizer and Mehitabel Ruggles  
were Married the fourteenth  
of March 1871

## ADDITIONS AND CORRECTIONS

## A FANGBONER (FANCKBONER) FAMILY RECORD

Compiled by George Frederick Blount of Royal Oak, Michigan

Concluded from May-June.

Lydia Jessie Chapin, born July 15, 1868; married Thomas McCullough; lived in Manistique, Michigan, where children were born. Two children:

1. Vina McCullough, d. before 1894, aged 3 years.
2. Ella Belle McCullough, b. Sept. 11, 1894.

Tilden Chapin, born July 18, 1876, died Dec. 25, 1916; married Mamie McMoran, who married 2nd. George B. Cole, about 1935. Three children:

1. KENNETH CHAPLIN, b. July 19, 1900
2. CLARE CHAPIN, b. Nov. 21, 1901
3. Byron Chapin, b. July 17, 1904; m. Helen Heisler; no children.

Sylvester Burd, born Jan. 11, 1855, died 1923 in Delray, Florida; married Lucy Phelps, died in the spring of 1942. Four children:

1. MELVIN BURD
2. RALPH BURD
3. LEAH BURD
4. EUGENE BURD

Matilda Burd, born June 20, 1856, died July 14, 1910; married Louis Switzer of Utica, Michigan. He was killed by a train in Niagara Falls, New York, aged about 49 years. Twelve children:

1. PERRY SWITZER, b. 1878
2. CLAUDE SWITZER, b. 1881
3. ELIZABETH SWITZER
4. ETHEL SWITZER
5. EMMA SWITZER
6. Grace Switzer, b. in Rochester, Mich.
7. WALTER SWITZER
8. ALICE SWITZER
9. MARGARET SWITZER
10. EDWARD SWITZER
11. Robert Switzer
12. a son who d. at the age of 9 days.

Sarah Burd, born October 23, 1858, died 1913; married in Rochester, Michigan to Herbert Ernsberger. They made their home in Lansing, Michigan.

1. Mary Ernsberger
2. Oren Ernsberger
3. Ira Ernsberger

Henry Burd, born January 20, 1861, died February 14, 1909; married Belle Firman, who died with three of her children in the Dayton Flood of 1913.

1. Vernon Burd
- 3 other children d. in the flood.

Mary Burd, born July 9, 1862, died January 2, 1940; married (1) John Van Hoosen, born Stony Creek, Michigan; (2) Paul Leake, author of "History of Detroit", 3 vols., 1912, Lewis Pub. Co.; #. 1262 for his work

1. ALTA VAN HOOSSEN, b. June 10, 1880.

Maryetta Burd, born July 1, 1869; married August, 1889 to Samuel Baldrie



Jackson of Rochester, Michigan, the son of William and Mary Jackson. He was a machinist with Jackson and Company, Machinists, of Detroit. He sold his business at 20th and Fort Streets, Detroit, in 1918, for the reason that all property was bought up through there for the Ambassador Bridge right-of-way.

1. BEULAH VERE JACKSON, b. April 23, 1890.
2. HELENE MARJORIE JACKSON, b. June 8, 1899.

- p. 97. Before "78. Erwin Rush" (sixth generation) add the following:  
Charles William Fanckboner, born Mar. 29, 1888 at Ree Heights, Hand County, South Dakota; married Edna Gertrude Belcher. He is a member of the Idaho Surveying and Rating Bureau (a fire insurance rating organization), where he has been employed for the past twenty years. One child:

1. Elbert Channing Fanckboner, b. Mar. 2, 1917, at Boise, Idaho; now (1943) a Lieutenant in the Signal Corps in Australia.

Harry Abram Fanckboner, born Feb. 10, 1890, St. Lawrence, Hand County, South Dakota; married and lives in Wilmette, Illinois; employed by Marsh and McLennan, Fire Insurance Brokers. Three children:

1. William Fanckboner, serving in the U. S. Coast Guard in 1942.
2. An adopted daughter
3. An adopted daughter

Vida Ora Fanckboner, born Sept. 19, 1883, Schoolcraft, Michigan; married C. F. Williams and now lives in Cadillac, Michigan.

To "78. Erwin Rush", add a third child:

3. Carrol Lee, b. Jan 14, 1943.

- p. 98. "87. Merrill Fangboner" should read "87. James Morrill Fangboner".

To "88. E. Verne Fangboner" add "married June 16, 1914".

- p. 99. Before "96. Elmer Roy Fangboner" add the following:

Myrene Graham married William Sine; three children:

1. Dorothy Sine m. Roy Briggs; ch. Myrene Emma, Joan Kay, Betty Lou.
2. Frances Sine m. Robert Hoare; ch. Donald, twins- Billie Wayne and Rita Belle.
3. Averill Sine m. (----) Boudry; no children.

Kenneth Chapin, born July 19, 1900, died at Lake Orion, Michigan, Feb. 24, 1934; married Margaret Groover; two children:

1. Barbara Jean Chapin
2. Harold Tilden Chapin

Clare Chapin, born Nov. 21, 1901, Lake Orion, Michigan; married Jenny Priddie

1. Mary Jo, b. Sept. 7, 1939, Lake Orion, Mich.

Melvin Burd married Elizabeth (Bessie) Van Aiken; three children:

1. Van Burd, b. Flint, Mich.
2. Elizabeth Burd
3. Margaret Ann Burd

Ralph Burd married Daina Mills. He is a bacteriological research worker in Lansing, Michigan (1943). One child:

1. Virginia Burd

Leah Burd married Harold Gibbs, born Mayfield, Michigan. They live in East Lansing, Michigan.

1. Robert Gibbs
2. John Gibbs

Eugene Burd married Charlotte (----). He is in the wholesale produce business in Delray Beach, Florida.

Perry Switzer, born 1878 near Stony Creek, Oakland County, Michigan, died in Benton Harbor, Michigan, where he was employed as a switchman on the Pere Marquette Railroad. He was crippled by infantile paralysis. Married (---) (---).

Claude Switzer, born about 1881, married Clara (----). He was an engineer on the Pere Marquette Railroad and died of heart failure while in the cab of an engine at Muskegon, Michigan.

Elizabeth (Bessie) Switzer married (----) Palmer. They live in Ohio and are the parents of four children.

Ethel Switzer married Julius Hanon; lives in Muskegon, Michigan.

Emma Switzer married Alfred Blatherwick in Muskegon, Michigan. One child:  
1. John Blatherwick, b. 1906; doctor in government service (1943).

Walter Switzer, born in Saginaw, Michigan; served in World War I; resides in Chicago, Illinois.

Alice Switzer married (1) (---) (---) of Muskegon, Michigan, (2) (---) (---) of Detroit; died and is buried in the Rochester Cemetery, Rochester, Michigan.

Margaret Switzer married (---) LaCross in Muskegon, Michigan. They reside in Muskegon and have one daughter born 1933.

Edward Switzer married Dorothy (---); lives in Muskegon, Michigan and has one child.

Alta Van Hoosen, born June 10, 1881 at Stony Creek, Oakland County, Michigan; married April 29, 1899 to William Fuhrman, born Sept. 13, 1887, son of Peter and Anna Fuhrman of Carlton, Monroe County, Michigan. Two children:

1. GEORGE FUHRMAN b. Jan. 29, 1900
2. KENNETH FUHRMAN, b. Nov. 14, 1914

Beulah Vere Jackson, born April 23, 1890, Rochester, Michigan; graduated from Rochester High School, 1908; married Dec. 20, 1916 in Detroit to Eugene William Knapp, born Aug. 6, 1893, son of William Barnabas Knapp and Louise (Miller) Knapp. Eugene attended the University of Michigan Engineering School, 1912-1914. He is a land surveyor in the Engineering Department in the City of Royal Oak, Michigan, where he has been employed since 1921. They have one son by adoption:

1. Richard Eugene Knapp, b. Feb. 20, 1922, who graduated from Royal Oak High School, June, 1941. He was State Champion Runner in 1941; also a member of the cross country track team in 1940. He enlisted in the U. S. Marines, July, 1943; overseas December, 1943; was at Guadalcanal, New Caledonia, Esperito Santo; landed two hours after the first wave at Tinian; has Presidential Unit-citation. He married, March 17, 1945 at Royal Oak, Michigan, Ursula Mae Weir, born October 17, 1922, daughter of Alfred and

(----) (Whitzling) Weir of Royal Oak, She is a graduate of St. Mary's High School, Royal Oak.

Helene Marjorie Jackson, born June 8, 1899; married (1) John D. Leasia; (2) June 29, 1934, Edward I. Hughes, born in Sault Ste. Marie, June 5, 1891. One son by the first marriage; none by the second.

1. Pfc. John Donald Leasia, U. S. A. Airforce, b. Jan. 3, 1919, a graduate of Royal Oak High School, January, 1937.

Note: A daughter of E. I. Hughes by a previous marriage, Ellen Louise Hughes, born April 6, 1920, was graduated from Royal Oak High School, 1939. She was married to Robert Eric Baldwin, son of Judge and Mrs. Robert Baldwin of Hazel Park, Michigan, March 20, 1943 at Atlantic City, New Jersey. Robert Eric Baldwin left for military service, February 27, 1943.

- p. 100. To "116. John Frederick Blount" add "was married December 13, 1944 in Droitwich, Worcestershire, England to Christine Sylvia Bourne of Droitwich, the daughter of Hubert Sorrell and Sylvia (Jenkins) Bourne. Mrs. Blount holds the rank of Leading Air Crafts Woman in the Woman's Auxiliary Air Force in which she enlisted three years ago. John Blount was made a Sergeant, Sept. 1, 1944 and is in charge of the headquarters message center at the largest general supply depot in England (1944). He is a member of Michigan Chapter S. A. R. and BPOE, 1523.

To "117. Merrill Leo Bush, Jr." add "Transferred to Heavy Artillery. Is in Field Artillery with Gen. Patton's 3rd Army in Germany, March, 1945.

To "118. Laurella Mary Bush" add "They have two children:

1. David Lee Rosenquist, b. June 4, 1940.
2. Camille Ann Rosenquist, b. July 15, 1944, Chicago, Ill.

To "120. Robert W. McCall, Jr." add "married June 17, 1939, Birmingham, Michigan. They operate a dairy farm on M-15 near Ortonville, Michigan.

1. Jack Richard McCall, b. Oct. 5, 1943 at Pontiac, Mich.

George Fuhrman, born January 29, 1900, Ypsilanti, Michigan; married Doris Marlotte, born 1908, Detroit, Michigan. He is a graduate of Central High School, Grand Rapids, Michigan, 1919.

1. Miriam Mae Fuhrman, b. Apr. 11, 1932.
2. William George Fuhrman, b. Dec. 5, 1939.

Kenneth Fuhrman, born November 14, 1914 in Grand Rapids, Michigan, married in St. John's Church, Royal Oak, June 8, 1940, by the Rev. Jatho, to Mavis Mitchell, born August 6, 1917 in Royal Oak, daughter of Don W. and Edla (Mann) Mitchell. They have one son:

1. Don Mitchell Fuhrman, b. Apr. 3, 1941 in Royal Oak.

Like leaves on trees the race of man is found,  
Now green in youth, now withering on the ground;  
Another race the following Spring supplies,  
They fall successive, and successive rise;  
So generations in their course decay,  
So flourish these, when those have passed away.

From Pope's Homer.

## GRANDEY FAMILY BIBLE RECORDS

Contributed by Mrs. Richard F. Keeler of Holland, Michigan.

Note: The present owner of the Bible from which the following records were copied is Mrs. Rupert Sheldon of Addison, Vermont.

Marriages

Elijah Grandey	b. March 14, 1748	d. Aug. 9, 1810	m. Feb. 23, 1775
Salomo	b. Apr. 12, 1759		
Rhoda Grandey	m. Josiah Stagg	Sept. 11, 1806	
Salome	m. (2) Newton Way	Sept. 10, 1805	
Edmund	m. Keturah Crane	Sept. 25, 1806	
Elijah	m. (2) Abigail (Farmer or Edwards- illegible)	March 5, 1807	
Almon	m. Louisa Van Cor	Apr. 30 (or 20), 1861	

Births

## Children of Elijah and Salome:

Edmund	Nov. 21, 1776; d. Sept. 5, 1849
Elijah	Aug. 18, 1782
Rhoda	Oct. 30, 1785; d. July 11, 1854
Salome	Nov. 22, 1787
Jacob	June 9, 1795

## Grandchildren of Elijah and Salome:

Silas Stagg, son of Rhoda,	b. Oct. 8, 1807; d. Jan. 10, 1829
Hiram Grandy	b. Jan. 5, 1808; d. Mar. 19, 1848
Newton, son of Edmund,	b. Jan. 12, 1809; d. July 31, 1817
Almond Grandy	b. Aug. 19, 1810
Sarah Grandy	b. Aug. 27, 1810
Elijah Grandy Stagg	b. Nov. 7, 1811
Rhoda Grandy	b. Apr. 5, 1812
Morah Ann Grandy	b. July 27, 1812
Eliza Stagg	b. Feb. 13, 1814
Cynthia Grandy	b. Mar. 13, 1814
Betsy, dau. of Edmond,	b. Dec. 20, 1816
Jacob Elvin Grandy	b. Feb. 15, 1816; d. Aug. 1, 1852
Julia Ann Stagg	b. July 1, 1817; m. (----) Holcomb.
Esther Grandy	b. May 25, 1818
Sally Moriah Stagg	b. May 26, 1819
Abigail Grandy	b. Mar. 1, 1820
Emma Louisa Grandy, dau. of Edmond,	b. June 19, 1820
Margaret Keziah Stagg, dau. of Rhoda,	b. Oct. 16, 1821
Henry Fayette Stagg, son of Rhoda,	b. July 17, 1824; d. Oct. 20, 1826
Byron Stagg " " "	b. Feb. 2, 1828; d. June 16, 1852

Edmund Grandy	d. Sept. 5, 1849
Keturah Crane (his wife)	d. July 22, 1863
Elijah Grandy	d. Dec. 28, 1861
Abigail (Farmer or Edwards - illegible)	d. Apr. 16, 1852

## Children of Almon Grandy and Louisa Van Cor:

Fred Edward	b. Mar. 29, 1862; d. Sept. 21, 1928
Laura Maria	b. Feb. 17, 1868
Willy	b. Oct. 10, 1864; d. abt. four years of age.
Solomon	d. Mar. 4, 1836 (?) (Could this be 1863? Parents married 1861. Ed.)



A CHAMBERLAIN FAMILY BIBLE RECORD  
Contributed by Mrs. L. Lee Dunlap of Pontiac, Michigan

Notes:- The Bible from which the following record was copied was published by the American New Testament Co., O. A. Browning & Co., Toledo, Ohio, 1884. It was given by Mr. O. P. Chamberlain to his wife, Jane, 1886. These records were copied into this Bible from an old Family Bible and later copied by Hazel Hilton Dunlap (Mrs. L. L.) for General Richardson Chapter, D.A.R. and for the Detroit Society for Genealogical Research. The Bible is now in the possession of Mr. Lewis A. Chamberlain of Pontiac, Michigan. HHD

Marriages

Oliver Perry Chamberlain was married to Jane Emmaline Post at her father's home, Angelica, Alleghany Co., N. Y. by Robert H. Renwick Mar 20, 1843  
Charles Sumner Chamberlain married Viola R. Judson Dec 1877  
Schuyler Colfax Chamberlain married Ella Cotcher April 10, 1889  
Jennie Amanda Chamberlain married Farin N. Hilton April 15, 1891

Births

Oliver Perry Chamberlain B. Sept. 9, 1827, Belfast, N. Y. son of Elisha and Jane  
Jane Emmaline Chamberlain B. Oct. 10 1830, Belfast, N. Y. dau of Mary and Peter Post  
Oliver Knox Chamberlain B. Sunday Feb 10 1850 Alleghany, Potter Co Pa  
Mary Ellen B. Friday June 18 1852 in Alleghany Potter Co Pa  
Charles Sumner Born Wednesday July 19 1854 Alleghany Potter Co Pa  
Peter Elmer Chamberlain B. Sunday June 12 1859  
Lewis Albert " B. June 24 1862 in Alleghany Potter Co Pa  
Schuyler Colfax B. Monday Oct 3, 1864 in Oakland Township Oakland Co Mich  
Jennie Amanda B. Tuesday July 30, 1872 in Oakland Township Oak. Co Mich

Deaths

Oliver Knox died Thursday Jan 23, 1873  
Peter Elmer died May 6, 1877  
Oliver Perry Chamberlain died Nov 1924  
Jane Emmaline " died Oct 14, 1927  
Charles Sumner Chamberlain died Apr 28, 1914  
Florence A. Chamberlain Roseman Died Dec 18, 1915  
Lewis Chamberlain died Oct 17, 1939

Additional data on another page in the Bible under "Memoranda" as follows:

Elisha Chamberlain Jr Born Saturday Mar 4, 1796  
Jane Reynolds wife of Elisha Jr. Born Wednesday Sept 14, 1796  
Peter Post was Born April 6, 1806, Angelica, Alleghany Co., N. Y.  
Mary Reynolds wife of Peter was Born Dec 12 1806 Belfast N. Y.  
Abram Post born in Germany  
Sarah Jane Metgar his wife Born in Holland  
Elijah Reynolds, father of Mary Reynolds Post  
Mary Elizabeth Hendrix wife of Elijah Reynolds  
Elijah Reynolds enlisted in War of 1812 and died in service. His wife died six weeks after his death.

Children of Elisha Chamberlain Jr and Jane Reynolds:

Harriet Chamberlain Dwight  
Joseph Warren Chamberlain  
Solomon Chamberlain  
Jane Chamberlain Cool (Pa)  
Oliver Perry Chamberlain  
DeWitt Clinton Chamberlain (So Dakota)

LAKEVIEW CEMETERY, CALUMET, MICHIGAN - 1894-1899  
 Copied by Miss Bertha Malone of Highland Park, Michigan

Note: For explanation of abbreviations see issue of May-June, 1945. Editor.

Richard, John P./ England/ Red J/ 69/8/2/1895/ Ed Richard.  
 Coumbs, Lizze/ Osc/ Osc/ 7mo/ 8/4/1895/ Rich Coumbs.  
 Hendra, Mary Ann/ Tam/ Tam/ 8mo/ 8/6/1895/ Jno. H. Hendra.  
 Nilsen, Anna Josephine/ Sweden/ Blue J/ 25/ M/ 8/6/1895/ Oscar Nilsen.  
 Jeffry, Ida/ Red J/ Red J/ 8mo/ 8/7/1895/ Fred Jeffry.  
 Olliver, Maud/ Red J/ Red J/ 8mo/ 8/10/1895/ Wm. Olliver.  
 Norstrom, Marentzius (?)/ Allo/ Allo/ 4mo/ 8/10/1895/ John Norstrom.  
 Stoltz, Albert/ Yel J/ Yel J/ 8 mo/ 8/12/1895.  
 Lauranen (Lamanen?)/ Manuel/ Osc/ Osc/ 6mo/ 8/14/1895.  
 Carley, Jno./ Red J/ New Town/ 8/15/1895 (age not given).  
 Lameny, Mik/ Osc/ Osc/ 5 yr/ 8/16/1895.  
 Andersen, John/ N. Tam/ N. Tam/ age not given/ 8/19/1895.  
 Weppa, Isaac/ Finland/ Pine St. (There is a Pine St. in Calumet) 54/ 1/22/1895.  
 Norstroem, Alma/ Allo/ Allo/ 9mo/ 8/14/1895/ James N.  
 Mainard, Jno/ Osc/ Osc/ 8mo/ 7/23/1895.  
 Korbi, J. A./ Tam/ Tam/ 11mo/ 8/25/1895/  
 Dunn, James Wilbur/ Red J/ Red J/ 4mo/ 8/15/1895/ James Dunn.  
 Jacobson, Simon/ Swdt/ 2yr 6mo/ 8/26/1895.  
 Hyvonen, M./ Newtown/ Newtown/ age not given/ 8/28/1895.  
 Wanahapiha, Jno./ Newtown/ Newtown/ age not given/ 8/30/1895.  
 Lampia, Saulus/ Wolv/ Wolv/ 5 mo/ 9/3/1895/ S. Lanipia.  
 Bell, John/ England/ Cal/ 20/ S/ 9/6/1895/ Cancer/ Rich Bell.  
 Phillips, Florence/ Allo/ Allo/ 1yr 5mo/ 9/7/1895/ Jno. Phillips.  
 Rotkenen, Ole/ Cal/ Red J/ 8mo/ 9/10/1895.  
 Yates, Mrs. Frances/ Norway/ Red J/ 20 yr/ M/ 9/9/1895/ Wm. Yates, husband.  
 Matson, Math/ Finland/ Osc/ 19/ S/ 9/12/1895/ suffocated in Osc. mine/ Jno. Matson.  
 Harra, Isaac/ Finland/ Osc/ 52/M/ 9/12/1895/ " " " " / Mrs. Harra.  
 Curtis, Thos. H./ England/ Osc/ 46/ M/ 9/12/1895/ " " " " "  
 Grenfell, Richard/ England/ Osc/ 31/ M/ 9/12/1895/ " " " " "  
 Jahns, Robert/ England/ Osc/ 60/ M/ 9/12/1895/ " " " " / Mrs. Johns.  
 Landers, Frank, Jr./ England/ Osc/ 18/ S/ 9/12/1895/ " " " " / F. Landers, Sr.  
 Strangaard, Peter/ Norway/ Osc/ 18/ S/ 9/12/1895/ " " " " / Jno. Strangaar.  
 Donald, Wm. H./ England/ Osc/ 47/ M/ 9/12/1895/ " " " " "  
 Levinonen, Mike/ Finland/ Osc/ 25/ M/ 9/12/1895/ " " " " / Mrs. Levionen.  
 Bryant, Wm./ England/ Osc/ 40yr/ M/ 9/12/1895/ " " " " "  
 Rapson, Harry/ England/ Hecla/ 24 yr/ M/ 9/13/1895/ Killed in Hecla mine #2 shaft.  
 Levia, Olka/ Dover Creeks/ Dover Creeks/ 5mo/ 9/13/1895/ male.  
 Sigfrit, Mary/ Cal/ Cal/ age not given/ 9/14/1895.  
 Strandell, H. A./ Red J/ Red J/ 2 yr/ 9/15/1895/ John E. Strandell.  
 Latava, Herman/ Tam/ Tam/ 1 yr 1 mo/ 9/16/1895.  
 Malstrom, Peter/ Finland/ Osc/ 46/M/ 9/12/1895/suffocated in Osc mine/ Mrs. Malmstroem.  
 Yates, Edy & Anne/ 16 & 11 mo/ children removed from Schoolcraft cemetery/ 9/19/1895.  
 Erik Harrala's infant/ Decourse/ Decourse/ 9/20/1895.  
 Mat Leviona's child/ removed from single plot/ 9/20/1895.  
 Outllip, John/ Tam/ Tam/ 8 mo/ 9/22/1895.  
 Lelone, Edw./ Cal/ Cal/ 11mo/ 9/25/1895.  
 Norajarny, Matt/ Hecla/ Swdt/ 1 yr 1 mo/ 9/29/1895.  
 Goldworthy, Wm./ England/ Hecla/ 59 yr/ M/ 10/1/1895/ Mrs. Goldworthy.  
 John Phillip's 2 children/ removed from Schoolcraft cemetery/ 10/4/1895.  
 Nick Shuler's child/ removed from Schoolcraft cemetery/ 10/4/1895.  
 Daniels, Alex/ England/ Osc/ 34 yr/ M/ 9/12/1895/ Mrs. A. Daniels.  
 Amala, Matt/ Tam/ Tam/ 10/8/1895/ evidently a child, grave fee \$3 instead of \$5.

Fernilut, Miss Hilda/ Finland/ Cal/ 22yr/ S/ 10/9/1895/ Mr. Fernilut, brother.  
 Anton Berg's child/ Dover Creek/ Dover Creek/ 1 yr 1 mo/ 10/9/1895/ Anton Berg.  
 Cocking, Wm. M./ England/ removed from Schoolcraft cemetery/ 10/15/1895/ Rich Bell.  
 Bell, Ann/ England/ removed from Schoolcraft cemetery/ 10/15/1895/ Rich Bell.  
 D. Andersen's child/ Red J/ Pine St. (Pine St. in Calumet ?)/ 10/24/1895/ lmo/male.  
 Paull, Thomas/ Red J/ Fifth St. Red J/ 4mo/ 10/28/1895/ Thomas Paull.  
 Ilyma, Jacob/ Lau/ Lau/ 3mo/ female (sic)/ 10/28/1895.  
 Trevidick, Leslie/ Tam/ Tam/ 4mo/ female/ 10/29/1895.  
 Berg, Anton/ Dover Creek/ Dover Creek/ 1 da/ 11/4/1895/ Anton Berg.  
 Morrison, M. M./ Cal/ Cal/ 1 da/male/ 7/3/1895/ Mr. and Mrs. Morrison.  
 Polkinghorn, Sam/ England/ Red J/ M/ 11/7/1895/ killed in shaft of Tamarack, Jr.  
 Kent, Sam/ England/ Red J/ 11/7/1895/ " " " " " "  
 Kentha, Grotha M./ Finland/Tecumch(Tecumseh?)/54y 3m 15d/M/11/9/1895/Jacob Kentha.  
 Opland, Ingoal A./ Tam/ Tam/ 1y 3m/ male/ 11/10/1895/ Iver Opland.  
 Possky, Salamon/ Wolv/ Wolv/ 2mo/ 11/11/1895.  
 Henriksen, Mrs. F./ Finland/ Yel J/ 30y 2m/ M/confinement.  
 Halman, Percy/ b. Red J/ removed from Schoolcraft cemetery, 11/15/1895.  
 Lucky, May & Wm./ b. Tam Jr/removed from Schoolcraft cemetery, 11/18/1895/Geo. Lucky.  
 John Backman's child/ Osc/ Osc/ 14 da/ 11/20/1895.  
 Vita, Willie/ Tam/ Tam/ 7 yr/ 12/2/1895.  
 Farresh, Math/ Blue J/ late residence not given/ 15 da/ 12/11/1895.  
 Shelkin, Chas./ Cal/ Cal/ 4 mo/ 12/18/1895.  
 Wickstrom, Chas./ Red J/ Red J/ 3mo/ 12/21/1895.  
 Henderson, John/ Yel J/ Yel J/ 26 da/ 12/25/1895.  
 Colwander, Mamie/ Rambotown/ Rambo/ 4y 3m 5d/ 12/28/1895/ Mr. & Mrs. Isaac Colwander.  
 Preisk(Prisk?), Mrs. John/ Blue J/ England(sic)/ 66/ 12/29/1895/ Mr. John Prisk.  
 Wiggon, Karl/ Norway/ Cal/ 63/ 1/2/1896.  
 Daniels, Alex/ Osc/ Osc/ 5 mo/ 1/5/1896/ Mrs. Alex Daniel.  
 Fezzy, John/ Cornwall, England/ Cal/ 78 yr/ M/ 1/12/1896.  
 Kerkeet, George/ England/ Cal/ 68 yr/ M/ 1/15/1896.  
 Lambinen, Lulla/ Allo/ Allo/ 1 mo 8 da/ 1/16/1896/ Mrs. Lambinen.  
 Trathan, Fred/ Cal/ Cal/ 24 yr/ S/ 12/18/1895/ Stephen Trathan.  
 Lindroth, Tyne L./ Lau/ Lau/ 1 mo 8 da/ 1/16/1896/ John Lindroth.  
 Skoglund, August/ Sweden/ Lau/ 33/ M/ 1/18/1896/ "Blod poisoning from brocken arm."  
 Heikala, Jacob/ Finland/ Woodcamp Section 16/ 60/ M/ 1/27/1896/ "Old age."  
 Toppola, Niels/ Cal/ Cal/ 2 yr/ 1/28/1896.  
 McLean, Mrs. Jno./ Cal/ Cal/ 25 yr 7 mo/ 1/29/1896.  
 Galby, Mrs. O. A./ Cal/ Lau/ 33/ 1/31/1896.  
 Simonson, Marcus/ Norway/ Cal/ 29/ S/ 2/1/1896/ log rolled on him/ Bernhard Simonson.  
 John Walz' infant/ Cal/ Cal/ 1 da/ 2/3/1896.  
 Olson, Willie/ Osc/ Osc/ 5y 9m 10d/ 2/4/1896/ Erik Olson.  
 Mikelson, Henry/ Red J/ Red J/ 12 da/ 2/4/1896/ Herman Mikelson.  
 Nampa, Florence/ Red J/ Red J/ 3 mo/ 2/5/1896.  
 Finlander, Baby/ Cal/ Cal/ 6 mo/ 2/12/1896.  
 Lathi, Peter/ Cal/ Cal/ 1 yr 6 mo/ 2/16/1896.  
 Wertia (Wertill?), Jno./ Blue J/ Blue J/ 1 yr 4 mo/ 2/19/1896.  
 Little, Richard/ England/ Cent/ 35/ M/ 3/3/1896/ killed in Tamarack mine.  
 Ruethor, Henriette/ Germany/ Cal/ 52/ M/ 3/6/1896/ Jacob Reuther.  
 Cameron, Duncan/ Cal/ Cal/ 2 mo/ 3/12/1896/ Hugh Cameron.  
 Williams, Samuel/ England/ State of Colorado/ 60/ M/ 3/17/1896.  
 Reampaa, John/ Finland/ Cal/ 47/ M/ 3/11/1896/ suffocated by gas in Boston, Mass.  
 Heitonan, John/ Finland/ Osc/ 64/ M/ 3/11/1896/ " " " " " "  
 Rogstad, A. T./ Norway/ Lau/ 48/ M/ 3/21/1896/ suicide by hanging in Red J/  
 Bellanen, Jacob/ Finland/ Fulton, Keweenaw Co/22/8/3/23/1896/killed in drunken row.  
 Turnquist, Israel/ Tam Jr/ Tam Jr/ 4 mo/ 3/22/1896.  
 Karvoin, Vainvoo/ Red J/ Red J/ 10 mo/ female/ 3/24/1896.  
 John Steltz' child/ Yel J/ Yel J/ 1 da/ 3/26/1896.



Karrenen, Isaac/ Red J/ Red J/ 1 yr 5 mo/ female (sic)/ 4/9/1896.  
 Rantijo (Rontip?), Arvid/ Cal/ Lau/ 9 yr/ male/ 4/9/1896/ lost in woods in storm.  
 McKenney, Isaac/ England/ Red J/ 66/ M/ 4/2/1896.  
 Edwin Nara/ Section 19/ Section 19/ 1 da/ 4/10/1896/ Mr. and Mrs. Nara.  
 John Weñika/ Swdt/ Swdt/ 1 da. 4/11/1896/ Mr. and Mrs. Wiwaka.  
 Garronen, Karl J./ Fulton/ Fulton/ 2 mo 28 da/ 4/12/1896.  
 Crago, Carolina/ England/ Osc/ 51 y 4m/ 4/12/1896.  
 Davis, Velvet/ Red J/ Red J/ 4 mo/ male/ 4/15/1896/ 9/5/1897 the remains of Velvet  
 Davis were removed to Mrs. Elizabeth Bryant's lot.  
 Frimodig, Abbertine (Albertine?)/ Norway/ Houghton/ 37y 6m/ M/ 4/15/1896  
 Isaac Wm. Frimodig.  
 Paull, Arthur/ England/ Cal/ 40/ M/ 4/27/1896.  
 Baye, Willie/ Lau/ Lau/ 1 yr 1 mo/ 4/27/1896.  
 Sibley, Joseph H./ England/ Tam/ 28/S/ 4/28/1896/ killed in Tam mine.  
 Locke, Peter/ Wolv/ Wolv/ 2 yr/ 4/30/1896.  
 Waters, Anne/ England/ Red J/ 28/ M/ 5/5/1896/ child fever/ Joseph Waters.  
 Chas. Geiger's child/ b. Cal/ removed from Hecla cemetery, 5/8/1896.  
 Krogh, Albert M./ Norway/ Tam/ 9 yr/ 5/11/1896/ drowned in Tam dam/ Anton Krogh & wife.  
 Roehm, Herbert/ Cal/ Cal/ removed from Schoolcraft cemetery, 5/12/1896 (This was  
 child of Mr. and Mrs. Roehm.)  
 Savola, Emma S./ Cal/ 5 mo/ 5/12/1896.  
 Dymock, Thomas S./ Red J/ Red J/ removed from Schoolcraft cemetery, 5/15/1896/  
 Mr. and Mrs. Dymock.  
 Bennetts, Lizzie/ Red J/ Red J/ 24/ M/ 5/14/1896/ childbirth/ John R. Bennetts.  
 McDonald, John/ Lau/ Lau/ infant/ 5/17/1896/ Mr. and Mrs. J. McDonald.  
 Malmstrom, Peter/ Finland/ Lau/ removed from single plot, 5/20/1896. (see p. 23)  
 McCauley, Jeneta/ Cal/ Cal/ 5 mo/ 5/20/1896.  
 Joseph Waters' child/ Red J/ Red J/ removed from Schoolcraft cemetery, 5/20/1896.  
 Richards, Elizabeth/ England/ Cal/ " " " " 5/27/1896/  
 John Richards.  
 Waters, Rachel/ England/ Red J/ " " " " 5/29/1896/  
 Mr. and Mrs. Waters.  
 Dolke, Anna/ Allo/ Allo/ 12 yr 8 mo/ 5/19/1896/ John Dolke.  
 Baker, Ernest/ Tam/ Tam/ 1 yr 4 mo/ 5/28/1896.  
 Brown, Mrs. E. G./ birthplace not given/ Cal/ 48/ removed from Schoolcraft cemetery,  
 June 2/1896.  
 Frimodig, Middle/ Cal/ Cal/ 3 yr/ removed from Schoolcraft cemetery, 6/2/1896/  
 Isaac Frimodig.  
 Richard, Bernico/ Tam/ Tam/ 9 mo/ 6/3/1896/ Wm. Richards and wife.  
 Heikkala, William/ Tam/ Tam/ 1 yr 2 mo/ 6/8/1896/ J. Heikkala and wife.  
 Quick, William/ Osc/ Osc/ 2ly 8m/ S/ 6/6/1896 killed by runaway team from Vivian.  
 Mesner, Johan/ Germany/ Cal/ 64 yr/ M/ 6/9/1896.  
 Kokkori, Hulda S./ Tam/ Tam/ 1y 10m/ 6/13/1896.  
 McLeod, Annie/ Canada/ Cal/ 45y 11m/ M/ 6/18/1896/ Alex M. McLeod.  
 McLeod, William/ Cal/ Cal/ 5yr/ removed from Schoolcraft, 6/20/1896/ Alex M. McLeod.  
 Teppola, Carl A./ Cal/ Lau/ 9 yr/ 5/22/1896/ drowned in Tam dam/ Isaac Teppola.  
 Trewarrow, Henry/ England/ Tam/ 45y/ M/ killed at Tam mine, #2 shaft.  
 H. Mathisen's stillborn child/ died 6/27/1896 at Osceola.  
 Medlyn, Mrs. John/ England/ Cal/ 39y/ M/ 6/24/1896.  
 Mrs. John Medlyn's two children/ died in Cal/ removed from \_\_\_, 6/28/1896.  
 Quick, John/ England/ Osc/ removed from Schoolcraft cemetery, 6/30/1896.  
 Colvander, Roy/ Cal/ Cal/ " " " " " "  
 Toyra, Huld Oliva/ Red J/ Red J/ 3y 1m/ 7/1/1896.  
 Crago, Wm./ Osc/ Osc/ 15 yr/ 7/7/1896/ Thos. Crago.  
 Tusova (Tasova?), Hjalmar/ Cal/ Cal/ 7yr 4mo/ 7/9/1896.  
 Tannue, Emelia/ Red J/ Red J/ 8 da/ 7/9/1896.

Wiggen, Heima R./ Osc/ Osc/ ly 6m/ female/ 7/8/1896/ Johannes Wiggen.  
 Trevennen, Arthur/ England/ Colorado/ 39 yr/ S/ 7/7/1896/ James Trevennen.  
 Sleeman, Edith/ Tam/ Tam/ ly 4m/ 7/12/1896.  
 Ziegler, Clara/ Tam/ Tam/ ly 5m/ 7/17/1896/ "Ed Zeigler and Mrs."  
 Kyllaren, Jenny M./ Red J/ Red J/ ly 10m/ 7/18/1896.  
 Rosewarn, Oliva/ Cal/ Cal/ 20y 20d/ S/ 7/21/1896/ Thos. Rosewarne.  
 Buddas (Buddos?), Viola/ Yel J/ Yel J/ ly 1m/ 7/25/1896/ Wm. Buddas.  
 Hancock, Willie/ Tam/ Tam/ ly 8m/ 7/29/1896/ William Hancock.  
 Mustonen, Hilda/ Cal/ Cal/ lyr/ 7/30/1896.  
 Birck, John/ Red J/ Red J/ llda/ 7/30/1896/ A. Birck.  
 Odges, Charles/ Cal/ Yel J/ 17y 3m/ S/ 8/2/1896/ Mrs. Odges.  
 Mathews, Samuel/ Cal/ Cal/ 20yr/ S/ 8/2/1896/ drowned in Tam Dam/ John Mathews.  
 Coppo, Mrs. Joseph/ Cal/ Franklin/ 22yr/ M/ 8/2/1896/ Joseph Coppo.  
 Dawer, Harry/ England/ Cal/ 35yr/ M/ 8/3/1896/ killed in Cal mine/ Mrs. Joseph Dower.  
 Martin, Mrs. Jane/ England/ Red J/ 72 yr/ M/ 8/3/1896/ James Martin.  
 McLean, Sarah/ Red J/ Red J/ 6 mo/ M/ 8/6/1896/ Jno. McLean. (M.?)  
 Kitty, Waldemar/ Cal/ Cal/ 13y 4m/ 8/6/1896/ Wm. Kitty.  
 J. H. Bottomly's infant/ Red J/ Red J/ 2 mo/ 8/7/1896.  
 Frimodig, Roy/ Houghton/ Lau/ h yr/ 8/11/1896/ I. Wm. Frimodig.  
 Johnson, Martin/ Norway/ Cal/ 25 yr/ S/ 8/12/1896/ Hans Johnson.  
 Thomas, Reubin/ Red J/ Red J/ 3 mo/ 8/14/1896/ Wm. Thomas.  
 Gregg, Garnet/ Tam/ Tam/ 5 mo/ 8/14/1896.  
 Fisher, Thomas/ Canada/ Cal/ 67 yr/ M/ 8/14/1896.  
 Erikson, Phobe M./ Cal/ Cal/ 5 yr/ 8/17/1896/ Peder Erikson.  
 Wills, James/ England/ removed from Schoolcraft, 8/20/1896/ Mrs. Wills.  
 James Wills' child/ removed from Schoolcraft, 8/20/1896/ Mrs. Wills.  
 Roetkonen, Kaisa Evelina/ Finland/ Cal-Osc/ 9 yr 8da/ 8/21/1896.  
 Savolinen, Alma Kaisa/ Finland/ Swdt/ 29 yr/ M/ 8/27/1896/ "from the effect of be  
 burnt in hot water."  
 Christiansen, Emil A./ Finland/ Osc/ 18 yr/ S/ 8/26/1896.  
 Clement Tayler's infant/ Lau/ Lau/ no other record.  
 Mertz, Amalia/ Red J/ Red J/ 25 yr/ S/ 8/28/1896/ Mrs. Elizabeth Mertz.  
 John Williams' infant/ Tam/ Tam/ 4 mo/ 8/28/1896.  
 Light, W. J./ birthplace lacking/ Lake Linden/ 74/ M/ 8/31/1896/ J. W. Light, son.  
 Sepola, Lempia Marie/ Swdt/ Swdt/ ly 4m/ 9/6/1896.  
 Maata, Ole Alfred/ Allo/ place of death not given/ 3y 11m 25d/ 9/9/1896.  
 Gilbert, Hazel J./ Cal/ Cal/ 5 yr/ 8/21/1896/ Wm. Gilbert.  
 Hutten, Helga Eveline/ Fulton/ Fulton/ 11m 12d/ 9/15/1896.  
 Vanka, Mathis W./ Yel J/ Yel J/ 22 da/ 9/17/1896.  
 Wm. Kitty's 4 children removed from Schoolcraft cemetery, 9/20/1896.  
 James, Ester Florance/ Yel J/ Yel J/ 2m 29d/ 9/20/1896.  
 Pekanen, Hilda M./ Osc/ Osc/ 14y 6m 2d/ 9/22/1896.  
 Linkonen, John H./ Osc/ Osc/ 13y 3m 2d/ 9/23/1896.  
 Jacob Holmes' child/ Swdt/ Swdt/ 1 da/ 9/28/1896.  
 Hanola, John A./ Swdt/ Swdt/ 2y 6m/ 9/25/1896.  
 Hegardt, Wesla H./ Cal/ Cal/ 2 yr/ 9/25/1896.  
 Renawdon/ removed from Schoolcraft cemetery, 9/28/1896.  
 Wm. E. Jewell's child/ Red J/ Red J/ 9/29/1896.  
 Wareham, Alfred/ birthplace not given/ Cal/ 30 yr/ M/ 4/19/1896/ Mrs. Mary Wareham.  
 Mr. A. Wareham was first buried in Houghton; moved to Lakeview, 10/15/1896.  
 Fry, James/ England/ Cal/ removed from Schoolcraft cemetery, 10/13/1896.  
 Fry, Mrs. J./ England/ Cal/ " " " " " / J. W. Fry.  
 Baly, Stephen/ England/ Cal/ " " " " " / His son.  
 Baily, Mrs. S./ " " " " " "

To be continued.

## ADDITIONS TO PUBLISHED GENEALOGICAL WORKS

"THE GENEALOGY OF THE HOWES FAMILY" by John Crowell Howes, 1892, p. 21 #69 & p. 127. Mr. D. H. Reynolds Page of Detroit, Michigan, writes: "My father's mother was born in Hudson, Michigan, in 1854. She was Sally Howes (see p. 127 of above), descended from John Howes and Thankful (Blossom) Howes, m. 1773. (see p. 21 #69) John Howes' great-great grandfather was Thomas Howes who came from England to Yarmouth in 1637. Thankful (Blossom) Howes was descended from Thomas Blossom who came to Plymouth in 1629, and from John Robinson, the Pilgrim Pastor. The following is a copy of an old family record written on a sheet of the Bank of Yarmouth, Massachusetts, stationery. This paper is now (1945) in the possession of Mr. B. L. Howes of Detroit."

"Yarmouth, Mass. Apr 6 1867

Dea Thomas Blossom of Leyden started to come over in the Speedwell in 1620, put back and came over in 1629 and settled in Plymouth. He died in 1632, and his wido, Anna, m. Henry Rowles October 17, 1633, and moved to Barnstable.

Children of Dea Thos. Blossom:

1. a son who died before Dec. 1625.
2. Thomas, born about 1620, d. Ap. 22, 1650.
3. Peter, born after 1627.

Peter Blossom m. Sarah Redfish June 21, 1663.

Children:

Mercy, b. Ap. 9, 1664, d. 1670

Thomas, b. Dec. 20, 1667, Sarah, b. 1669,

Joseph, b. 1673, Thankful, 1675, Mercy, 1678, Jube, 1680.

Thomas Blossom m. Fear Robinson (great-granddaughter of the Reverend John Robinson, the Pilgrim Pastor.)

Children:

Peter, b. Aug. 28, 1698

John, b. Ap. 17, 1699, m. Thankful Burgess, Ap. 6, 1726.

John Blossom m. Thankful Burgess, Ap. 6, 1726

Children:

Fear, b. Feb. 3, 1731, Thankful, Mar. 5, 1733,

Thomas

Thomas Blossom m. Thankful Paddock, 1749

Children:

Enos, b. Aug. 18, 1750; Thomas, Mar. 11, 1753;

Thankful, b. January 6, 1756; Sarah, July 13, 1758."

"THE HISTORY OF LEVI GREENE AND HIS DESCENDANTS" by MARY SHAW GREEN, 1944, p. 335 To #963 Truman Allen Shattuck add - "5th Marine Division, died on Iwo Jima, March 2, 1945; entered service March 1944; overseas since July." The Detroit News.

"THE GENEALOGY OF THE HOWLAND FAMILY OF AMERICA" by Franklyn Howland, 1885, 1st Ed., p. 390, #1454 William Arthur - add "died May 1, 1945 in Birmingham, Michigan; burial in Worcester, Massachusetts." The Detroit News. (See "Who's Who in America", Vol. 23, 1944-1945, p. 1017, for life of Dr. Howland.)

"THE COOLEY GENEALOGY" by Mortimer Elwin Cooley, 1941, p. 745, #464 - add "Mrs. Thomas B. Cooley (Abigail Hubbard) died Friday, July 20, 1945 at her summer home in Sorrento, Maine." The Detroit News.



"CHRONICLES OF THE BEMENT FAMILY IN AMERICA" by J. Granville Leach, 1928, p. 385, # 1807 Constance Bement - add "died in Lansing, Michigan, Thursday, July 12, 1945." From the Grand Rapids (Michigan) Press. (The Detroit Society for Genealogical Research will remember Miss Bement as the largest contributor to the fund which made it possible for us to purchase a copy of the rare Bement Genealogy (only six copies in existence). This is now on file in the Burton Historical Collection of the Detroit Public Library. Editor.)

# QUERIES

1001: S-35: WRIGHT:- Wanted Vital Records of John Wright, b. probably Simsbury, Ct., 1758; son of Earl and Esther (Lewis) Wright of Conn. and N. Y. State. Also of his wife, said to have been the dau. of Nehemiah and Dorcas (Cole) Bassett of Eastham, Mass. and N. Y. State. Children, b. N. Y. State, were: John Y., Justus, Samuel, Ebenezer, Jane W. Salisbury, Fanny W. Sipple, and perhaps Thomas. John Wright served in Rev. War and War of 1812. He d. in Unadilla, N. Y. in 1826.

1002: S-35: SIMONDS-WRIGHT:- Would like to correspond with descendants of Mrs. Jeannette Wright Simonds, wife of Henry Simonds of Detroit: D.A.R. No. 75994, Vol. 76, 1909; great-great-grand-daughter of Daniel Wright, brother of John Wright, above.

1003: Y-1: CLARK-LOOMIS:- Wanted ancestry of Nathan Clark who married Anna Loomis, b. 1786, d. 1850, LaGrange, Ohio, daughter of Jonathan and Martha Loomis of Champion, N. Y. Ref: Loomis Genealogy.

1004: Y-1: STORM-SNEDEKER:- Wanted ancestry of Abraham Storm, 1759-1838, b. Westchester Co., N. Y., d. Clarkstown, N. Y.; m. 1778/9 Altje Snedeker, dau. of Johannes Snedeker, who d. 1779, while a prisoner in the Sugar House of N. Y. City. The father of Abraham Storm moved from N. Y. City to Clarkstown between June and December, 1776. Ref: Veterans Administration.

1005: Y-1: LINK-HUTCHINS:- Want further information re the families of Alonzo Link, b. in Philadelphia, Oct. 10, 1833, and Abigail (Abbie) Hutchins, whom he married Aug. 19, 1865 at St. Clair, Michigan. She was b. in London, Eng., Apr. 18, 1842, dau. of John and Ella (Peet) Hutchins. Other children were Charles and Kate, possibly others. They came from England to N. Y. City in 1853; would like name of the ship on which they sailed.

The Link family went from Philadelphia to Buffalo, N. Y. in 1846; then to Brantford, Ontario, returning to Philadelphia in 1854. Before 1865 Alonzo Link went to Marine City, Mich., where he worked in the E. B. Ward's shipyards. This family originally came from Hanover, Germany.

1006: W-2: BILLINGTON-WHELAN:- Wanted very much the given name of a Billington man whom family tradition says was killed by lightning as he stood in his own doorway before 1839, probably several years before, near Columbus, Ohio. It is said that his brother, John Billington, was visiting him from "the East" at the time, staid on, married the widow and went to La Porte County, Indiana, just previous to 1840. He is said to have had also a brother Seth and sisters Matilda and Laura, children probably of John Billington. I am trying to establish the ancestry of Nelson G. Billington, born in New York State in 1804. He was in Franklin Twp., Lenawee Co., Mich., where he is recorded in the original 1840 U. S. Census, with a woman old enough to be his mother and another woman young enough to be his wife, or possibly a daughter. I do not know what became of the two women, but shortly after 1840 he married Julia Whelan, 20 years younger than himself, and later removed to La Porte County, Indiana.



